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BOB BEATS TAFT AND COLONEL BY 15,000 MAJORITY

Combined Votes for Roughrider and President Are Less Than Those of the Senator

COW COUNTRY IS FOR BOB

West Slope, Colonel's Former Home, Gives Him but Four Counties; T. R. Forces Admit Defeat

PROGRESSIVE MAN CHOSEN

Marshall Is Chosen for National Committeeman by Big Margin Over Cooper, Stalwart

FARGO, N. D., March 20.—The reports on the presidential primary election from the "cow counties" this afternoon indicate that Colonel Roosevelt ran stronger there than in the balance of the state. At 2 o'clock practically complete returns from 32 counties, including several of the western tier, give La Follette a plurality of 8,146 over Roosevelt. Roosevelt has carried 13 counties. La Follette's managers now place his plurality at between 10,000 and 12,000.

FARGO, N. D., March 20.—The delegates of North Dakota to the national republican convention will cast their votes for Robert M. La Follette for president, as the result of his sweeping victory in the presidential preference primary yesterday. Results received from 1,167 precincts of the 1,800 in the state, at noon today indicated that La Follette has carried the state by a plurality of at least 15,000. These precincts gave him 34,159 votes. Roosevelt received 22,877. La Follette's plurality at that time was 11,282. It is estimated that the total vote for President Taft will be about 3,000. The republican vote is practically complete in 27 counties.

The districts still unreported are the thinly settled rural sections. Never in Doubt.

The outcome of the election was never in doubt in my mind. I have always had the greatest confidence in the judgment of the farmers of North Dakota and I knew they would do their share toward having the state declare for a man of the wonderful constructive ability of Senator La Follette, to regain more than the strength he apparently lost during his sickness. It was a glorious victory shared by both business men and farmers, and proves the old adage that right must prevail. La Follette's majority will be upwards of 15,000.

John F. Bass, who came to the state to take charge of the Roosevelt campaign, made the following statement before leaving for the east today: "I have nothing to say. The result speaks for itself. If democrats had stayed out of the republican primary, it might have been different." Chairman Frank S. Talcott of the republican state central committee, who conducted the Roosevelt campaign said: "We have received returns from approximately two-thirds of the counties of the state. Some of these have been very meager with only a few precincts in a county. We have estimated the result from returns in other counties in which the returns have been practically complete. These returns show that if the full returns are carried out on the same basis, La Follette has carried two-thirds of the counties yet to be heard from.

"It is impossible to give an estimate of the final majority until we definitely learn the trend of the vote in the counties where we have so far received no returns."

T. R. Forces Concede
The Fargo Forum, a leading Roosevelt newspaper, today conceded the state to La Follette by a majority of not more than 5,000. The Grand Forks Times-Herald, also a Roosevelt paper, admits La Follette's victory, but claims the plurality will be small.

The returns are coming in headquarters here slowly and because of limited telephone facilities it may be several days before the complete vote is at hand. Most of the returns so far are from cities and towns and the rural vote is almost unknown. The La Follette managers claim that their candidate was especially strong among the farmers and declare that his plurality will grow instead of decrease as the vote comes in.

The Fargo News, the chief La Follette paper today gives Roosevelt but four counties in the west slope, the old cow country, where the former president was a rancher in his earlier days. The returns from that section are very incomplete, but if he carried that section unanimously.

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ASK RAISE, ARE OFFERED A CUT

Soft Coal Strike Practically Certain when Operators Declare for Ten Per Cent Cut

MINERS DEMAND INCREASE

Men Ask Ten Per Cent Advance; Little Hope of a Settlement Is Now Held Out

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 20.—A nation wide strike of more than 500,000 soft coal miners may be declared today. This action seemed inevitable when thirty-two operators and thirty-two miners' representatives went into conference here at 10 o'clock to consider the new wage scale to be effective in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois after the present scale expires April 1.

Want a Cut
The operators' attitude of no compromise is indicated by the fact that instead of standing pat on the present scale, the thirty-two mine heads in executive session late yesterday declared for a flat wage decrease of ten cents a ton from the present mining rate. The miners are asking a ten per cent increase and the introduction of a run of mine system.

"With the operators and miners 20 per cent apart," said a union official today, "there is little chance for settlement."

Miners before the meeting were more hopeful than ever, because of the interstate commerce commission had just ordered railroad companies to cut rates from Pennsylvania coal fields to the lake ports ten cents. This now makes the rate lower than operators of West Virginia, and hence will help the union fields to compete more successfully with the undercutting operators from that state.

Big Fight Promised

When President John P. White of the United Mine workers, said the operators would stand pat on their decision made in Indianapolis two months ago, asking a ten cent decrease, he seemed to believe a big fight will have to come, as he declared the miners would not recede from their demands.

SOLONS TO DRAG IN HIGHER UPS

Claimed that New Mexico Legislators, Accused of Bribery, Will Involve Others

SANTA FE, N. M., March 20.—That the deadlock in the legislature of the United States senators will continue until the four representatives accused of accepting bribes in connection with their votes have been convicted or cleared of the charges, is the belief here today.

It is reported that the friends of the four accused representatives may try to involve "higher ups" in the alleged bribery.

The fact that the four accused men are all republican regulars will have an important bearing upon the United States senatorship. All four have been suspended, the result being that the democrats and progressive republicans by combining, can come within a very few votes of controlling the legislature on joint ballot.

THREE TIMES AND OUT

NEW YORK, March 20.—Three times in the shadow of the gallows, erected in the jailyard at Hackensack, N. J., to carry out the mandate of the law that she be hanged, Mrs. Antoinette Tolla today stepped from a train in the penitentiary station here a free woman. Her life was saved through agitation that became countrywide and finally resulted in it being demonstrated that she murdered Joseph Sontarea because he had tried to debauch her and win her from her husband. The woman spent six years in prison. Today Mrs. Tolla said that she wanted to devote the remainder of a life to caring for her husband, Giovanni Tolla and her two children.

ORDER HURTS MINES

EL PASO, Texas, March 20.—A hard blow to mining corporations in Mexico has been given in the instructions to the United States army of officers and customs men on the border to seize all shipments of explosives for Mexico.

PREVENTION WORTH MORE THAN CURE

"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." An old time saying, but especially true in respect to tuberculosis. A tuberculosis sanatorium will prove to be an ounce of prevention and worth many pounds of cure.

WOMAN SMUGGLER CAUGHT; SUICIDES

Woman Arrested; Confesses Smuggling Jewelry; Hangs Self in Hotel when Released

GIVES FRISCO AS HER HOME

Woman Is Believed to Be of Social Prominence in Western City; Hangs from Window

NEW YORK, March 20.—Temporarily insane because of her arrest for smuggling, Mrs. Blanche M. Carson, believed to be the widow of Edwin Carson, a wealthy San Franciscan, hanged herself in a most sensational manner today. She fled from the Hotel Wolcott, where she had been living since her arrival from Europe last Monday, after she was arrested last night. After registering at the Hotel Broziet, Fifth avenue and Twenty-seventh street, she was given a room on the eighth floor on the Fifth avenue side.

The woman brooded all night over her disgrace and the loss of her jewelry valued at \$20,000 which had been seized by the federal authorities. Finally, early today she arose, put a pale blue lounging robe over her nightdress and got a long trunk rope. One end of it she securely fastened to the radiator in her room. Then she opened the window of her room and jumped out. How long her body hung there gazing from side to side, dangling high above the pavement is not known. It was discovered by occupants of the fashionable knickerbocker apartments, who notified the hotel management. The woman had been dead for some time when the body was taken back into the room.

The coroner's office was notified and search of the woman's effects revealed \$1,240 in cash and a sheaf of letters addressed to many residents of the Pacific coast cities, including one of her brother, Paul R. Mayberry, of 915 West 28th street, Los Angeles. So far as could be learned the woman's address in San Francisco was 1925 Gough street.

Mrs. Carson left a letter addressed to Attorney Osborn which read as follows:

"My brother's address is Paul R. Mayberry, West 28th street, Los Angeles, Cal. I can never thank you enough for all that you have done for me. Dispose of the remains here quickly. Do not send home."

"B. CARSON."

The letter was written with a pencil and was timed 4 a. m. today.

Osborn today said: "I am not at all sure that Mrs. Carson was guilty of no intention to smuggle. She denied it to me."

"She said that she had the pearls in several boxes and that in the excitement at the pier, one was not taken out of her trunk but was sent to the hotel by mistake. I pleaded with Collector Loeb to allow time for me to confer with her and investigate the case, but Loeb said that he saw no reason to make any exceptions. He said that the pearls must be taken from the hotel at once, and she must be arraigned by the commissioner."

"Loeb said her case would be a good example to other women who tried to evade the customs laws. He insisted that she be shown no leniency."

"Mrs. Carson then presented a letter of credit for one thousand pounds on a big London firm, and this was accepted as bail."

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Mrs. Edwin Carson, who committed suicide in the Broziet hotel, New York, was the widow of Edwin Carson, and one of the most prominent club women of this city. She left here last August on a tour of the world. She was supposed to have left Paris on March 13 for the United States, and the report that she arrived from Bremen puzzled her sister, Miss Mayberry.

Mrs. Carson was scheduled to deliver a lecture before the Century club here on her return. Her friends were greatly shocked today upon learning of her suicide.

ECONOMY PROGRAM BUMPED

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Congress today evinced dismay at a \$40,000,000 hole punched in its "economy" program yesterday in a few hours. The house economists contributed almost \$27,000,000 to the sum by rushing through the rivers and harbors appropriations "pork barrel" bill in three hours, while the senate was appropriating more than \$12,000,000 for the district of Columbia.

ASSASSIN TRIES DEATH

ROME, March 20.—Following his examination by the police today, Antonio D'Alba, who tried to assassinate King Victor, attempted to kill himself, but was prevented by the guard kept constantly on watch over him. Details of the attempt are withheld by the authorities.

MRS. TAFT HURT

NEW YORK, March 20.—While attending the woman's industrial exposition in the Grand Central palace here this afternoon, Mrs. William H. Taft twisted her ankle.

CHIEF AND FOUR OF GANG FOUND

Sidna Allen, Desperately Hurt, Hiding with Four Desperadoes; Place Is Discovered

THE WHOLE VILLAGE TRAILS

Every Available Man in Hillsville, when Word Is Sent, Starts to Round Up the Gang

HILLSVILLE, Va., March 20.—In a fever of excitement Hillsville awaited today the return of a posse which hurried off into the mountains late last night after a mud-bespattered messenger brought word that five ringleaders of the Allen gang had been cornered. Lee Falls, head of the man hunt, reported by the messenger that he had seen Sidna Allen, chieftain of the clan, that he was seriously wounded and was hidden in a place known to his pursuers, together with four other desperadoes.

Every available man in Hillsville took to the mountains, following the road toward Piper Gap—a direction not hitherto taken in the search for the court room murderers. Shortly before dawn four of the pursuers slowly pushed back to town, with horses white with foam, but no news. They said they were not able to keep up with the main body of the pursuers. Word reached here from Mount Airy today that John Moore, one of Allen's supporters, arrested Friday but released the following day, had been again arrested. Detectives, it was said, let him go with the hope that he might try to make his way into the mountains to join the Allen gang.

May Have Escaped

The various posses searching for the Allen band, who shot up the court house here last week, have utterly failed to locate their quarry and it is now believed the men have separated and are slipping through the lines as individuals.

Two men answering the description of Wesley Edwards, Sidna Allen's nephew, and Friel Allen, one of the brothers, were reported today as having been seen eight miles below Mount Airy, making for the open North Carolina country. Detectives have been started in pursuit but the men have a good start.

No word has been received from the posse that was hurried out last night on a report that Sidna Allen and four other outlaws had again been located and this is taken to mean the men eluded their pursuers.

NINETY MINERS BURIED ALIVE

One Body Found, Rest May Be Dead in Gas Explosion in Arkansas Colliery

FORT SMITH, Ark., March 20.—Ninety men are entombed in the mine of the San Bois Coal company as a result of a gas explosion there today. One man had been taken out alive late this afternoon, while one dead body had been recovered and rescuers were endeavoring to penetrate the workings.

PHILIPPINE DELEGATE.

ROME, March 20.—Monsignor Petrelli was today appointed apostolic delegate to the Philippines. He was formerly secretary to the legation in the islands.

WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Snow tonight and probably Thursday; no decided change in temperature.
For Wisconsin: Unsettled weather with probably snow tonight or Wednesday; continued cold with high northeast winds.
For Minnesota: Unsettled weather with probably snow tonight or Thursday south portion; continued cold.
For Iowa: Snow tonight and Thursday, probably heavy; colder tonight; high northeast winds.

Weather Conditions
The high pressure area and cold wave is central this morning over North Dakota and Manitoba and there has been a decided drop in temperature throughout the lake region, upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, Nebraska and Colorado. Temperatures ranging from zero to 18 degrees below are recorded this morning from northern Minnesota westward into Montana and throughout the Canadian northwest. The pressure is low over Utah and snow is falling this morning from Colorado and Wyoming to Iowa and rain in northwestern Missouri. Elsewhere the weather is fair.

The snow area will likely extend into this section by tonight and light snow is probable Thursday; the temperature will continue low over Thursday.

THE CIRCUS HAS COME TO TOWN

Bungling Bros. Show Will Give First Exhibition at Y. M. C. A. Tomorrow Night

HUGE TENT IS TO BE FILLED

Vast Arena Will Be Kaleidoscope of Changing Scenes and Stunts; Clowns Funny

The circus has come to town! A vast arena within the flapping walls of canvas. Tier on tier of seats arranged in a huge amphitheater and filled with laughing throngs of people. Cases filled with wild animals especially imported from winter quarters in Winona. Death defying stunts by individuals and groups in swiftly changing athletic exhibitions. Clowns loaded to the guards with brand new gags and laughter fetching antics. Peddlers of peanuts, pink lemonade and chewing gum. Spectacular and beautiful electrical displays. Graceful dancing and acting on flying rings, parallel bars and turning poles. Ground and lofty tumbling. Gorgeous costumes, and all other attractions usual to the circus.

These are a few of the things that will be seen at the Bungling Bros. circus which will give its first exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. building tomorrow evening. The second performance will be given Friday evening.

Better and Bigger Than Ever

It will be the second exhibition of this nature given under the auspices of the local organization and is bound to be better and bigger than ever before. The various gymnasium classes have been faithfully practicing for months under the able tutelage of Professor Boyd and the stunts they have perfected are sure to create a sensation among the admirers of feats of skill and strength. The athletic performances are well worth the price of admission alone. There are many other attractions planned, some of which will come in the nature of delightful surprises.

The menagerie arrived today and includes a "herd of elephants," a giraffe, monkeys and other animals too numerous to mention. They are expected to be very fierce tomorrow night, having just come out of their winter quarters at Winona.

The several committees have been working overtime putting up the huge tent and building the amphitheater and when the performance opens tomorrow night it is expected that the great canvass shelter will be filled to the guy-ropes. The Norden band has been practicing circus pieces all winter in preparation for the event and every stunt will be played to lively and entertaining music. There will be the air of a real circus to the exhibition. The program is given as follows:

Circus Program

Grand entrance; a spectacle of surpassing splendor pervading to repetition the vast area of the great arena. Pyramids by intermediates and junior classes.

A dance from the Emerald Isle, "An Hibernian Hit."

Flying rings, Schreiber, Boynton, Boyd, clowns.

"A Sailor's Furlough."

Parallel bars, Schroeder, Malletto, Kirchies, Hill, Johnson.

Acrobatics, Dean, Hyde, Boyd.

"Herd of Elephant Majesta."

Steel horizontal bar, Strauss, Ulrich, Rand.

Punching bag exhibition, Schwanzel.

Dance of the Jumping Jacks.

Tumbling, Ulrich, Malletto, Roy, Botsford, Kulinsky, Strauss, Gardner, Kirchies.

Clowns, Hyde, Dean, Boynton, Rand, Benicke, Zein.

Electric clubs, Hyde, Dean, Boynton, Rand, Benicke, Zein.

Grand finale.

BLIZZARD HITS IOWA

DES MOINES, Iowa, March 20.—Driven by a strong northeast wind a blizzard came down upon Iowa this morning and in many towns street car traffic was either crippled or tied up. The snow is drifting bad and steam roads which are just recovering from last week's storms will be crippled. It is the worst storm for this season of the year on record.

ALL CONDEMN BILL

LONDON, March 20.—The strike of the coal miners became more of a national problem today after the conferences held by the miners' union committee and the operators. While these conferences were separate, their conclusions were the same. Both condemned the proposed minimum wage scale bill for the government.

DECLINES \$50,000 OFFER

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 20.—Featherweight Champion, Johnny Kilbane today declined the offer of \$50,000 for his exclusive services for two years, made by Tom McCarey, the Los Angeles fight promoter. Kilbane and his manager, Jim Dunn, agreed that the champion can make more money in two years by working independently than the amount offered by McCarey.

BADING CHOSEN TO FIGHT SEIDEL

Congressman Cary Loses, by Nearly 12,000, the Non-partisan Choice for Mayor

SOCIALISTS PREDICT VICTORY

Believe that Seidel will Be Elected Without Trouble in the Spring; Bading Is Confident

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 20.—With incomplete returns early it was indicated that Dr. G. A. Bading had overwhelmingly defeated Congressman W. J. Cary for the non-partisan mayoralty nomination by about 12,000 votes in opposition to Emil Seidel, the socialist incumbent.

Contrary to expectations, Cary, upon learning of his defeat early today declared allegiance to the Bading ticket, thus combining the republican - democratic - non-partisan vote against the socialists and making probable the defeat of the socialist administration in the election of April 2. Mayor Seidel was unopposed at the primary.

Later returns which were practically complete gave Bading 26,248; Cary, 14,875; Seidel, 17,299.

Statements at headquarters of the socialist party today failed to see anything but the return of Mayor Seidel and the socialist ticket to office as a result of yesterday's primary election.

It was claimed that scores of socialist sympathizers voted either for Cary or Bading with the view that one or the other would be eliminated and the defeated candidate would in turn declare independent in the race. These sympathizers, according to the socialists, will throw their support to the administration slate in the general election, thus making it impossible for the combined non-partisan faction to overcome the socialist vote. Seidel polled 9,089 votes in the 1910 primary.

Dr. G. A. Bading, who will oppose Mayor Seidel, was city health commissioner during the administration of Sherbie Becker, the "boy mayor." In a statement today he predicted a non-partisan landslide in the voting on April 2, and the overwhelming defeat of the socialists.

TRAIN ROBBERS MAKE BIG HAUL

Mississippi Hold-up Nets Robbers \$60,000; the Express Safe Is Blown to Pieces

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 20.—A thrilling story of the hold-up of a Mobile & Ohio passenger train near Corinth, Miss., last night, was told today by passengers arriving on the train which was stopped in the swamps along the Tuscumbia river. The safe in the express car was blown and the robbers escaped with its entire contents. The amount is said to be \$60,000. Express Messenger William Snoddy arrived with his car, but refused to state the amount of loot the robbers had secured. He admitted, however, that they took everything the safe contained.

The engineer said that the first intimation he had of trouble was when he felt a pull at his suspenders, and looked around only to gaze down a barrel of a revolver. Two men stayed in the cab while two others went to express car.

Express Messenger Snoddy said the door of his car was thrown open and he was covered by one of the robbers. One robber kept him at the side of the tracks while another blew the safe.

AUTO HURTS AVIATOR

NEW YORK, March 20.—Frank Coffyn, the noted aviator who has been electrifying New York by his wonderful flights in his hydroplane sustained a slight concussion of the brain, Edwin L. Harvey and Albert S. Savino were badly injured as the result of a collision between a private auto and a city owned auto in Central park today. Coffyn will recover.

FRAM LEAVES HOBART.

LONDON, March 20.—A special cable today from Hobart, Tasmania, says Captain Roald Amundsen's ship Fram, on which he made the trip which ended in the discovery of the south pole, has sailed for Buenos Ayres.

SERMONS FOR MEN ATTRACTING MEN

Last night's contribution to Rev. D. C. Jones' week series of sermons "for men only" under the general topic of "The Message of Christ to the Men of Today," attracted a splendid attendance at the First Presbyterian church, Sixth and Cass streets.

The topic selected for tonight is "The Message of Christ to the Unpromising Man."

WILL CONTROL AT CHICAGO IS THE OPINION OF "BOB"

Senator from Wisconsin Says Progressives Will Hold Balance of Power at Convention

PLANS A BIG SPEAKING TOUR

Will Invade Nebraska, Oregon, California, and Then Go Back to the East

HE IS FIT FOR A HARD FIGHT

Senator Declares that He Feels Better Since He Escaped from Washington

CHICAGO, March 20.—"I believe that the real progressives will hold the balance of power in the Chicago convention against both President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt," declared Senator Robert M. La Follette here today. "That is what I am going to fight for."

"I believe that balance of power will dictate a really progressive platform and put a really progressive candidate upon it."

Senator La Follette left Chicago at 10:30 a. m. for Washington, accompanied by Mrs. La Follette and Miss Nellie H. Dunn, his private secretary. If the senator ever has been a victim of any physical or nervous ailment he did not show it on his return from a five day struggle with the zero weather and blizzards of North Dakota. He was radiant at the news that came from the primaries. He said:

People Aroused

"The returns thus far received confirm my impression formed while I was in North Dakota. Never in my experience have I known the people of any commonwealth to be more profoundly aroused than they were there. Those people thoughtfully understood the issue. Sentiment does not enter into the result at all. The people of North Dakota could not be influenced by any attempt to make this a personal issue. They had made up their minds and they cast their ballots on a basis of principle—of progressive principle. I am convinced that the situation in North Dakota is typical of the progressive movement in all of the progressive states. The politicians of North Dakota may in some instances have been stampeded, just as some politicians seem to be stampeded in other parts of the country. But the count of the ballots so far in North Dakota show that the people have not been and will not be stampeded. The people know that the great problems that confront us have not been aggressively and constructively met either by the Roosevelt or the Taft administrations."

"The time for talk has gone by; the time to do is at hand."

Plans Big Tour

"I shall return to Washington and spend the next ten days in preparing for a long speaking tour. Then I shall start west and shall visit every state where any sort of primary laws give the people the least voice in saying who shall be the next presidential nominee. Quite as important as that is what shall be contained in the next republican platform, for my fight is one for principles and that I believe is what the people understand my fight to be."

"I shall probably go to Nebraska first, then to Oregon then to California. Then I shall turn back to South Dakota and I shall also go to Maine and Massachusetts."

"I cannot get over the entire country but I can get into those states where the people, the rank and file, are going to have an opportunity this year for the first time in history, to say who they want to represent them in their national conventions, who shall write their platform and who shall be their candidate. To those people I shall talk and I shall keep it at until the last delegate is elected. Naturally those states which have the presidential primaries are in nearly every instance the most progressive of our commonwealths and so I hope that the progressives, the real progressives in the republican party, will have a substantial balance of power in the next republican convention. The most wonderful contrast we have seen between the steadfastness of the common people of North Dakota and the stampeding of the professional politician in many parts of the country, leads me firmly to believe that in the states where popular primaries are possible, progressive principles will be upheld without compromise and for that reason I am confident that the real progressive people in the country—the backbone of the progressive movement—will have the balance of power in Chicago."

"President Taft says that he favors presidential primaries when they can be legally held and safeguarded

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2—Fri	7,406	16—Fri	7,428
3—Sat	7,409	17—Sat	7,428
4—Sunday		18—Sunday	
5—Mon	7,411	19—Mon	7,431
6—Tue	7,412	20—Tue	7,434
7—Wed	7,404	21—Wed	7,436
8—Thur	7,407	22—Thur	7,436
9—Fri	7,407	23—Fri	7,439
10—Sat	7,409	24—Sat	7,439
11—Sunday		25—Sunday	
12—Mon	7,416	26—Mon	7,438
13—Tue	7,417	27—Tue	7,441
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Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 1st day of March, 1912.

A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

MERCHANTS NOT
TOUCHED BY IT

Among the questions about the in-
come tax that continue to puzzle
people, is that affecting the manner
in which the personal property tax
is permitted to offset the income tax.
Legal opinion in La Crosse, and
elsewhere in the state, had been to
the effect that the 1911 personal tax
property receipt was to be used as
such offset. Now comes the state tax
commission with the ruling that it
is the 1912 personal tax receipt that
applies.

This means that one having per-
sonal property not exempted under
the income tax will pay his personal
property tax as usual next Decem-
ber, and that the tax receipt given
him at that time is treated as though
it were cash to pay his income tax.
It is safe to say that, under this rul-
ing, not a merchant in the city of La
Crosse will pay an income tax, the
personal tax being sufficient to wipe
it all out.

It is noted, further, that the in-
come tax law exempts household fur-
niture, so that citizens will be sav-
ed from this expense in the future.
Other personal exemptions are:
Moneys and credits, stocks and bonds
not otherwise provided for in the
law, personal ornaments and jewelry
habitually worn and machinery, im-
plements and tools used on farm,
orchard or garden. As Governor Mc-
Govern says, "It will thus be seen
that the income tax is not an addi-
tional tax, but a substitute for cer-
tain personal property taxes which it
has been found impossible to levy
with any degree of equity or fair-
ness."

"Oyster Bay dispatch to St. Paul
Pioneer Press: 'No comment could
be obtained from Theodore Roose-
velt last night, as he had retired
when news of the North Dakota pri-
mary reached here at a late hour.'"

Monday President Taft said he was
in favor of presidential primaries,
but not of the "soap box" order. We
take it the North Dakota primary
was of the "soap box" style.

We note that yesterday our even-
ing contemporary discovered that
there is to be a special session of the
legislature, but it has not yet dis-

covered that a presidential candi-
date spent several minutes in the
city yesterday.

WHO CALLED
ROOSEVELT

That Col. Theodore Roosevelt mis-
took the voice of politicians for the
voice of the people, when he an-
nounced that he had been "called"
to make the run for the republican
presidential nomination on behalf of
the progressive faction, is rather
strongly indicated by the results in
North Dakota.

It must be conceded that Colonel
Roosevelt has much strength, al-
though far less than he had before
he altered his unalterable determi-
nation; that, with the mass of voters,
he has less than La Follette will not
be seriously questioned.

The appeal to Roosevelt was not
from the plain people. It was from
republican politicians who, fearing
defeat if Taft were nominated, sought
the nomination of some more
popular man. These politicians al-
ways look in two directions in siz-
ing up their candidate's strength.
They want to know that he is fairly
in the favor of the people, and not
particularly objectionable to "busi-
ness." They prefer a Roosevelt,
combining these qualifications, to a
La Follette, trusted by the masses
and hated by "business."

It was a mistake. Had these men
procured Roosevelt's public endorse-
ment of La Follette, instead of his
announcement of candidacy, they
would without doubt have saved
their party and given the country a
constructive executive. Instead, they
brought out Roosevelt to the slaugh-
ter, and as a result they have dou-
bled the sacrifice and at the same
time injured the chance to defeat
Taft.

La Follette's lieutenants aver that
Roosevelt so committed himself to
the La Follette candidacy as to have
bound himself in honor not to be-
come a candidate in opposition.
Roosevelt's men answer that La Fol-
lette had been disabled in the fight,
and that to substitute Roosevelt was
the only chance. La Follette denies
that he was incapacitated, and his
grinding, smashing invasion of North
Dakota is unanswerable proof.

In attempting to explain why he
and some others turned from La Fol-
lette to Roosevelt, Gifford Pinchot
used the following illustration:

"If your star halfback was in-
jured in the game, would you keep him
in at the risk of losing, or would
you put in another equally good half-
back as a substitute?"

"That's alright," answers La Fol-
lette, "but supposing your star half-
back's injury was due to being slug-
ged by his own team?" And, in one
version, it is said La Follette added,
"and suppose some of your team-
mates were giving away your signals."

The thing that is worst for Roose-
velt is the conviction of people gen-
erally that he was in fact a candi-
date from the start, and that he let
La Follette "try it out" with the
predetermined purpose of coming out
if the "work out" indicated that a
winning race might be run.

That in North Dakota is situated
the famous "Roosevelt Ranch," and
is supposed to be the inner strong-
hold of his western popularity adds
to the significance of La Follette's
victory.

It is hoped, for the sake of the
dignity of the colonel, that he will
not re-echo the cry of his Dakota
manager: "The democrats did it!"
"The Democrats!" And in North Da-
kota!

Even those who wish it were oth-
erwise must admit that the North
Dakota primary was a body blow to
Roosevelt. He is probably eliminat-
ed as a serious factor in the contest
for the nomination. But far more re-
grettable is the fact that, after the
present beating, the former presi-
dent can hardly loom in history's
pages as the big figure he was be-
fore the New York campaign. His
once chance to prove his stature is
to frankly admit his mistake, with-
draw from the race, and throw his
name and influence to the support
of La Follette.

If T. R. were to sing it, it would go
this way:

"I thought I heard somebody calling
me;
I thought I heard somebody calling
me—

Gin and Jim sound much the same,
I surely thought I heard my name—
I thought I heard somebody calling
me."

PRIMARY BILL KILLED

ALBANY, N. Y., March 20.—Col-
onel Roosevelt's bill for preferential
presidential primaries in this state,
which was introduced in the assem-
bly by his nephew, T. Douglass Rob-
bison, was killed by the house yester-
day afternoon by a vote of 56 to
72.

Quips and Cranks
and Wanton Wiles

A Call to Arms

The busy spider clothes the brush
With sheeny gossamers,
The frogs are croaking in the creek,
The sluggish blacksnake stirs,
But still the ground is bare of bloom
Beneath the fragrant firs.

Arise, arise, O brier rose!
And sleepy violet!
Anemone, anemone,
Your wintry dreams forget—
For shame, you tardy marigold,
Are you not budded yet?

The swallow's back and claims the
eaves
That last year were his home.
The robin follows where the plough
Turns up the furrowed loam,
And Red-Wing spies the thrush and
pipes:

"Look, Speckle-Breast has come!"
Up, bloom! and storm the wooded
vales,

The uplands and the plain;
Blow, trumpet, blow your golden horn
Across the ranks of rain!
To arms! to arms! and put to flight
The winter's broken train!

—Don Marquis in New York Sun.

Boneheads

A new servant entered the employ-
ment of a Milwaukee matron not
long ago, and her genius for making
mistakes makes it seem incredible
that one just evenly balanced could
think out the things she does.

Among other things her mistress
handed her a wire strainer and told
her to pour all water into the drain
through that, so that soap and dirt
would not stop up the pipes. By the
way, this was after the servant had
incurred a good sized plumber's bill
by allowing a full cake of soap to go
down.

The servant took the strainer and
the mistress watched her while she
demonstrated that she knew what
was meant by pouring the water
through it. When she had turned the
water all through and there re-
mained a considerable accumulation of
that would not go through, she delib-
erately emptied the strainer into the
drain.

Her mistress was surprised and out
of patience, and she showed it.
"But where else could I put the
stuff?" was the only defense the ser-
vant offered.—Free Press.

Wasted

"I always was unlucky," he said
with a weary sigh.

"What's the matter now, old
man?" his friend asked.

"I've spent over \$500 on havin'
my boy taught to play the fiddle, and
now his hair's all comin' out."—Chi-
cago Record-Herald.

Caller—Is your mother engaged?
Grace (aged 5)—No, ma'am;
Auntie May is engaged, but mamma
is married.

"Sadie," said a mother to her
small daughter, "why is it that you
and your little brother are always
quarrelling?"

"I don't know," replied Sadie, "un-
less I take after you and he takes
after papa."

Little Marie was sitting on her
grandfather's knee one day, and, af-
ter looking at him intently for a
time, she said: "Grandpa, was you
in the ark?"

"Certainly not, my dear," answer-
ed the astonished old gentleman.
"Then," continued the little in-
formation seeker, "why wasn't you
drowned?"—Chicago Daily News.

Beef Trust Must
Face Trial

News Item—

United States Judge George
A. Carpenter yesterday after-
noon refused to instruct the
"beef trust" jury to return a
verdict of not guilty against
the ten meat packers on the
ground that the Government
had not proved any violation
of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The Government is going to
take the bull by the horns
and let the jurors decide if
the ten packers indicted are
guilty of conspiracy to main-
tain high prices on meat. This
ought to be fair to both the
packers and the public, for
honest methods need to be
conceal nothing.

While the Beef Trust is
being tried on their suit, we
would like to have you drop
in and try on one of our
suits. You may be both judge
and jury and we have no fear
of your verdict.



HENRY N. BOEHM, MANAGER

HIS ECZEMA GONE
AND BOILS CURED

Eczema Began When Three Weeks
Old. Arms, Shoulders and Breast
a Solid Scab. Boils Broke Out
During Teething. Used Cuticura
Soap and Ointment, and He Was
the Picture of Health.

"My son was about three weeks old when
I noticed a breaking-out on his cheeks, from
which a watery substance oozed. A short
time after, his arms, shoulders and breast
broke out also, and in a
few days became a solid
scab. I became alarmed,
and called our family
physician who at once
pronounced the disease
eczema. The little fellow
was under his treatment
for about three months.
By the end of that time,
he seemed no better. I
became discouraged. I
dropped the doctor's treat-
ment, and I commenced
the use of Cuticura Soap and Oint-
ment, and in a few days noticed a marked
change. The eruption on his cheeks was
almost healed, and his shoulders, arms and
breast were decidedly better. When he was
about seven months old, all trace of the
eczema was gone.

"During his teething period, his head and
face were broken out in boils which I cured
with Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Surely
he must have been a great sufferer. During
the time of teething and from the time I
dropped the doctor's treatment, I used the
Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Ointment,
nothing else, and when two years old he was
the picture of health. His complexion
was soft and beautiful, and his head a mass
of silky curls. I had been afraid that he would
never be well, and I feel that I owe a great
deal to the Cuticura Remedies." (Signed)
Mrs. Mary W. Ramsey, 224 E. Jackson St.,
Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 24, 1910.

Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers
everywhere, a liberal sample of each, with
32-page booklet on the skin and hair, will
be sent post-free, on application to FOTTER
DRUG & CHEM. CORP., Dept. 25, Boston.

PUBLIC DEBATE

Suggests Health
Ordinance
Editor Tribune:

May I have a little space in your
valuable paper to discuss the public
health? I see by the papers the re-
ports of the good work that the
health department is doing, as far
as they go, in retarding the disease
in the city, by employing a school
nurse, and visiting nurses.

I see that they have garbage wag-
ons to dispose of the garbage, and
have issued orders to remove vaults,
and place toilets inside where same
are on streets with sewer connec-
tions. But I fail to see any mention
of an ordinance retarding the worst
disease breeder of all, that of remov-
ing old paper from the walls.

You know as well as I do, that old
wall paper harbors more disease
germs than any other cause. Think
of papering over old paper in houses
where they have had scarlet fever,
diphtheria, smallpox or other conta-
gious disease.

Large cities like Milwaukee, Chi-
cago, Madison, St. Paul and others
have ordinances compelling prop-
erty owners to remove old paper be-
fore new is applied.

I have personally seen as many
as nine and ten thicknesses remov-
ed from rooms, and you may imagine
the stench arising therefrom.

Hoping that some of our public
spirited citizens or the health de-
partment will use their influence in
creating such an ordinance for the
public's health. I am,

R. E. MANDAN.

"Explanations may not be poetic,
but sometimes they save a deal of
acute unpleasantness," said the in-
imitable Rose Stahl, who is playing
in "Maggie Pepper."

"A young lady came into a drug
store and asked the clerk if it were
possible to disguise castor oil.

"It's horrid stuff to take, you
know. Ugh!" said the lady with a
shudder.

"Why, certainly," said the clerk,
and just then, as another young lady
was taking some soda water, he asked
her if she wouldn't have some, too.

"After drinking it the young lady
lingered a moment, and finally ob-
served: 'Now, tell me, sir, how you
would disguise castor oil'."

"Why, madam, I just gave you
some."

"My gracious me!" exclaimed the
young lady. "Why, I wanted it for
my sister!"—April Young's Maga-
zine.

"In these days of grafted rabbits'
eyes and transplanted dogs' legs, we
never know when we may meet a
mustache masquerading as an eye-
brow," announced Nat Goodwin, who
as "Oliver Twist," is wringing goodly
shekels from a New York audience.

"The other day," he explained, "I
encountered a certain fellow on the
street.

"Jasper, you look somehow
queer," I said.

"I expect it's my nose," said he.
"I fell down a coal hole and tore a
piece out of it."

"Why, your nose seems all right,"
said I.

"Oh, yes," said Jasper, "it seems
all right. The surgeons, you know,
grafted a piece of my arm on to it.
But the shape is changed, and be-
sides, I can't go to the ball games
any more."

"No?" said I. "Why not?"
"Because," said Jasper, "having
a piece of my arm in my nose, when-
ever I get excited over a good play,
I start to wave it, and that makes my
nose so damned conspicuous."—April
Young's Magazine.

The more a man expects the more
he will be surprised if he gets it.
Alimony is the cement that is
sometimes used to mend a broken
heart.

A woman may pray to get into
heaven, but she will fight to get
to society.

THE
CARPET
FROM
BAGDAD

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A New Novel
By Harold
McGrath

Round the fire that night, the
camel-boys got out their tom-toms
and reeds, and the eerie music af-
fected the white people hauntingly
and mysteriously. For thousands
of years, the high and low notes of
the drums (hollow earthen jars or
large gourds covered with goat-
skin at one end) and the thin, metal-
lic wall of the reeds had echoed
across the deserts, unchanged. The
boys swayed to and fro to the
rhythm, gradually working them-
selves into an ecstatic frenzy.

Fortune always remembered
that night. Wrapped in her blan-
ket, she had lain down just outside
the circle, and had fallen into a
doze. When the music stopped
and the boys left the prisoners to
themselves, George and Ryanne
talked.

"I never forget faces," began
George.

"No? That's a gift."

"And I have never forgotten
yours. I was in doubt at first, but
not now."

"I never met you till that night
at the hotel."

"That's true. But you are Hor-
ace Wadsworth, all the same, the
son of the millionaire banker, the
man I used to admire in the field."

"You still think I'm that chap?"

"I am sure of it. The first
morning you gave yourself away."

"What did I say?" anxiously.

"You mumbled football
phrases."

"Ah!" Ryanne was vastly re-
lieved. He seemed to be thinking.

"Do you persist in denying it?"

"I might deny it, but I shan't.
I'm Horace Wadsworth, all right.
Fortune knows something about
that chapter, but not all. Strikes
you odd, eh?" continued Ryanne,
iron in his voice. "Every opportu-
nity in the world; and yet, here I
am. How much do you know, I
wonder?"

"You took some money from the
bank, I think they said."

"Right-O! Wine, Percival, cards,
wine and other things. Advice and
warning went into one ear and out
of the other. Always so, eh? You
have heard of my brother, I dare
say. Well, he wouldn't lend me two
tamps were I to write for the un-
dertaker to come and collect my re-
mains. Beautiful history! I've
been doing some tall thinking these
lonely nights. Only the straight
and narrow way pays. Be good, even
if you are lonesome. When I get
back, if I ever do, it's a new leaf
for mine. Neither wine nor cards
nor women."

Silence. The fire no longer
blazed; it glowed.

"Who is Mrs. Chedsoye?"

George finally began anew.

"First, how did you chance to
make her acquaintance?"

"Some years ago, at Monte Car-
lo."

"And she borrowed a hundred
and fifty pounds of you."

"Who told you that?" quickly.

"She did. She paid you back."

"Yes."

"And she hadn't intended to.
You poor innocent!"

"Why do you call me that?"

"To lend money at Monte Carlo
to a woman whose name you did
not know at the time! Green, green
as a paddy field! I'll tell you who
she is, because you're bound to
learn sooner or later. She is one of
the moist adroit smugglers of the
age; jewels and rare laces. And
never once has the secret service

A TRIAL WILL CONVINCE ANYONE

—THE GREAT KIDNEY REM-
EDY NEVER DISAPPOINTS

A few years ago I was troubled
with a complication of kidney and
stomach ailments and although I
tried two or three different doctors,
I was unable to obtain a cure. Having
heard a great deal about Swamp-
Root, I decided to give it a trial and
purchased a one-dollar bottle of Mr.
Alexander, the druggist. From the
beginning I could notice a change for
the better and after taking eight bot-
tles of your medicine, I felt entirely
cured and have not had any trouble
since.

Had I began using Swamp-Root
sooner, I would have been a few hun-
dred dollars to the good and saved
myself a lot of suffering.

You may use my testimonial any
time you wish. Yours very truly,

CHARLES E. HARRIS,
460 Sixth St. Marion, Iowa.

I certify that Charles E. Harris
signed the above testimonial in my
presence, being first duly sworn to
the truth thereof, this the 12th day
of July, 1909.

D. R. KINLEY, J. P.

Letter to
Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do
For You

Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bingham-
ton, N. Y., for a sample bottle.
It will convince anyone. You will al-
so receive a booklet of valuable in-
formation, telling all about the kid-
neys and bladder. When writing, be
sure and mention the La Crosse Daily
Tribune. Regular fifty-cent and
one-dollar size bottles for sale at all
drug stores.

Who have best teeth?

We Americans. Why?

If you say it is due to Wrigley's **SPEARMINT** we will admit we have helped some. We want to help more. We'd like to help you.

This mint leaf confection brightens, cleanses and preserves teeth—partly by friction—partly by the mint leaf juice.

Yes, it purifies breath—sharpens appetite— aids digestion. But we're talking of teeth. It helps millions of teeth every minute.

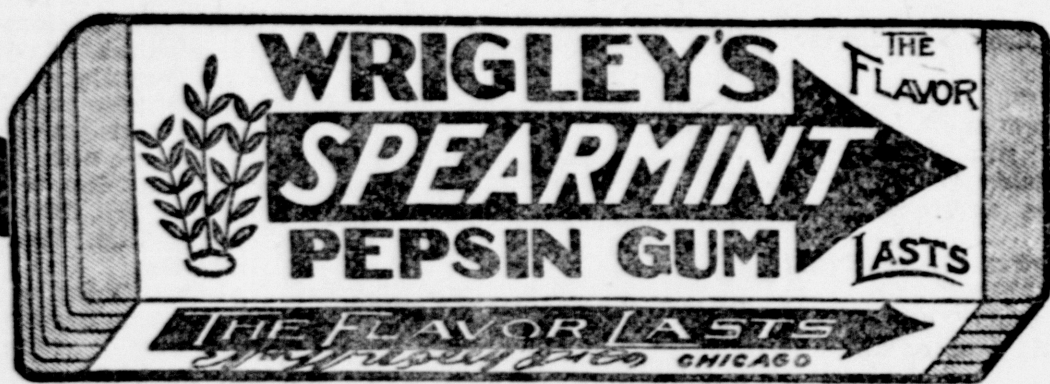
Help yourself—your teeth—and enjoy the refreshing juice of fresh mint leaves.

Buy it by the Box

of any dealer. It costs less.

Look for the spear

The flavor lasts



NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Jas. Smith, plumbing and heating, 912 Caledonia St., New Phone, 618-M.

Miss Frances Hansen is confined to her home on George street with tonsillitis.

Julius Thiel, who has been confined to his home, 1096 Avon street, with the grip, is able to be about.

The pupils of the St. James school were presented with a fine Victor phonograph yesterday, given by Rev. A. Murphy.

Clara Swenson, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Nelson, Wis., has returned to her home,

1640 Charles street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Tabernacle Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. C. Baumgartner, 1415 Avon street, at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

A special train of six cars containing silk, passed through Grand Crossing yesterday enroute from Seattle, Wash., to New York.

The Oriental Limited No. 52 on the C. B. & Q. was two hours late yesterday, arriving at Grand Crossing at 2 p. m.

The Burlington ran a work train north of here this morning for the purpose of distributing ties for a new double track.

Charles Ashland and family have returned to the city from St. Paul

and they will reside here.

Mrs. Cocade of Lynchburg, Va., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Krell, 1617 Berlin.

John Severson, who has been transacting business in Minneapolis for the past few days, has returned to his home, 1802 Loomis street.

L. White of Trempealeau, Wis., arrived in the city this morning on a business trip.

Fred Ryan of Ironwood, Mich., is visiting relatives and friends in La Crosse.

Miss Olga Dahlgen of Galesville was a La Crosse shopper yesterday.

Mrs. G. Schwartz, who has been the guest of north side friends, has returned to her home in St. Paul.

Gustave Schulte of Richmond, Minn., returned to his home in Fitchmond after a brief visit here.

Leonard Hudson is visiting relatives and friends in Minneapolis and Duluth.

Miss Omberger of Genoa was a brief business caller here yesterday.

Frank Williams of Chicago was a business caller here today.

Mrs. G. Brande of Duluth is the guest of relatives on the north side.

Mrs. Peter Lee of Perryville visited with friends a short time here yesterday.

William Lumley has returned to his home on the north side after a two weeks' visit with friends in Milwaukee.

Henry Sander sold property in West Salem to C. P. Knudson today for the consideration of \$4,500.

Miss Ida McAllen, this city, is visiting friends in Chicago.

E. J. Felzer left for Dayton, O., yesterday where he will be engaged transacting business.

Alice McCann, this city, left for Brownsville yesterday where she will remain the guest of relatives during the next few weeks.

Rev. J. C. Smith has returned to his home at Tomah after spending a few days with friends in this city.

Miss Hazel Blanchard, 612 Rose street has left for California where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Wood. Miss Heda Beede, this city, and B. Wright, Antigo, were married by Judge Brindley this morning.

We can't all choose just the work we would like to do, but the day laborer can always take his pick and shovel.

North Side

WORK TRAINS TO LEAVE LA CROSSE

Several Will Be Sent for Service on the Burlington from Here Soon

Several officials of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company of Chicago passed through the city yesterday on a tour of the route from Chicago to Minneapolis and St. Paul along which work trains are to be sent out by April 1 and where a number of steam shovels are to be installed for work along the road. Work trains are to be sent out from La Crosse on April 1.

According to the plans six steam shovels are to be placed at different points on the C. B. & Q. railroad and about twenty-seven work trains are to be put into service. The shovels are to be placed at Blake, Potosi, McCarty, Stoddard and a number of other places so that the work to be done may be accomplished in the best possible manner and as quickly as possible. Preparations for sending out trains from La Crosse have been going on for some time and a large crew is to be secured.

SERIES OF GOSPEL MEETINGS TO BE HELD

A series of gospel meetings will be held at the Bethel Lutheran church beginning tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and continuing until Sunday. Two meetings are to be held every day until Sunday when three are to be held. Rev. Claus Morgan of Minneapolis, Minn., is to speak at the afternoon services tomorrow while in the evening Rev. Justav Ostadahl of Minneapolis will have charge of the services.

Rated Hardest Hitter.



JACK WHITE

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—When Jack White meets Joe Rivers, the Mexican, next Saturday, the pugilistic spotlight will be switched down to Los Angeles and the fighting world will watch the returns of this bout as they have few recent encounters. The fighting ability of Rivers is an unknown quantity. On the other hand Jack White of Chicago, is referred to by experts as the hardest hitter since Herrera. They will weigh in at 120 pounds at 10 o'clock in the morning. This will be White's first appearance in a Californian staged bout. Should he defeat the Mexican he will be in line for the best man at his weight.

COMMISSION STARTS PROBE.

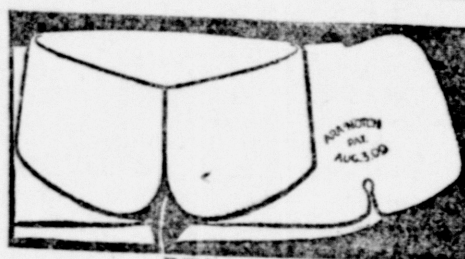
AUSTIN, Texas, March 19.—The Texas railroad commission left for San Antonio this afternoon to investigate the boiler explosion which claimed twenty-eight lives there. The chairman of the commission also wired to Washington inviting the interstate commerce commission to join in the investigation.

ICE CHECKS FLOOD

BELOIT, Wis., March 20.—On its biggest rampage in six years and threatening to cause enormous damage, Turtle creek was checked today with the cold wave which formed an ice gorge here and turned the current from the main channel. Many families had left their homes because of the high water.

It's so easy to have an opinion on any question that most people have it wrong.

Perhaps it is quite natural, after all, that an actress should try to make a show of herself.



AN ARROW Notch COLLAR
Sits close to throat. 15c. 2 for 25c.
Cluett, Peabody & Company, Makers, Troy, N. Y.

SAGE TEA WILL DARKEN THE HAIR

Restore Faded and Gray Hair to Natural Color—Dandruff Quickly Removed.

There is nothing new about the idea of using Sage for restoring the color of the hair. Our grandmothers kept their hair dark, glossy and abundant by the use of a simple "Sage Tea." Whenever their hair fell out or took on a dull, faded or streaked appearance, they made a brew of Sage leaves, and applied it to their hair with wonderfully beneficial effect.

Nowadays we don't have to resort to the old-time tiresome method of gathering the herbs and making the tea. This is done by skillful chemists better than we could do it ourselves; and all we have to do is to call for the ready-made product, Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, containing Sage in the proper strength, with the addition of Sulphur, another old-time scalp remedy.

This preparation gives youthful color and beauty to the hair, and is one of the best remedies you can use for dandruff, dry, feverish, itching scalp, and falling hair. Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and you will be surprised at the quick results. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

Special Agent, O. T. Erhart, 518 Main street.

HIGH SCORES MADE IN BOWLING MATCH

The Premiums won two out of the games rolled from the Barred Rocks in some well played games at the Combination bowling alleys last evening. With a mark of 213 which he made in the third game, Flukiger of the Premiums had high score for a single game. Thoreson, who made a score of 200, also bowled a good game. The scores:

Barred Rocks—			
Thoreson	200	128	135
Wiskirchen	171	130	138
Niemeyer	154	153	138
Substitute	113	132	158

Totals 638 543 569

Premiums—			
E. Yehle	144	185	181
Doekendorff	150	152	170
Swanson	172	132	158
Flukiger	113	147	213

Totals 579 616 722

Gives Quickest and Surest Cure For All Sore Feet

The following is absolutely the surest and quickest cure known to science for all foot ailments: "Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water.

Soak the feet in his for full fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the sore parts." The effect is really wonderful. All soreness goes instantly; the feet feel so good you could sing for joy.

Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. It gives immediate relief for sore bunions, sweaty, smelly and aching feet. A twenty-five cent box of Calocide is said to be sufficient to cure the worst feet. It works through the pores and removes the cause of the trouble. Don't waste time on uncertain remedies. Any druggist has Calocide compound in stock or he can get it in a few hours from his wholesale house. It is not a patent medicine but is an ethical preparation.

A THRILLING IRISH DRAMA

IN 2 REELS

"SHAMUS O'BRIEN"

THE LYRIC THEATRE

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

A COMEDY PICTURE

THAT IS SIMPLY GREAT

SPOTLIGHTS

GRANKE'S TRANSFER LINE

Furniture Moved and Stored
Jobbing of All Kinds
Buildings Bought and Sold
Both Phones 833 Rose

under the stars and stripes; daring Italian horsemanship, and hunting by aeroplane, are but a few of the many other scenes of vital interest showing the very latest achievements of human endeavor.

MCGOVERN WON'T INTERFERE

MADISON, Wis., March 20.—Governor McGovern will not stop the Kelly-McGoorty ten round scrap to be held in Kenosha tonight. The matter of law enforcement was put up to the sheriff in Kenosha county by the governor early after his return from Milwaukee. In a lengthy conference over the long distance telephone, this morning, Governor McGovern informed the sheriff that the laws of the state prohibit prize fighting, and that the sheriff would be held responsible if tonight's affair in Kenosha proved to be a prize fight.

McKEITH'S CHIMNEY BURNS

Fire company No. 4 was called upon at 7:40 o'clock last evening to put out a chimney fire at the home of George McKeith, 1624 Loomis street. The fire was caused by the burning out of the chimney. The blaze was extinguished with little trouble and little damage was done to the house.

About the only thing a happy bridegroom can remember is that he is expected to pay the preacher. If a mother laid her baby in a cradle, where would a brick layer?

How Nature Makes New Complexions

(From the Family Physician)
It is well known that the human skin is constantly undergoing a tearing-down and building up process. With advancing years or waning vitality this tissue-change lags; the lifeless, soiled surface skin stays on so long that its owner gets a "poor complexion."

Common sense tells us this dead skin cannot be enlivened by any cosmetic. The natural thing to do is to remove it. It has been found that ordinary mercurized wax completely absorbs the devitalized skin, in minute particles, so gently, gradually, as to cause no inconvenience. This wax, which any druggist can supply, is put on at night like cold cream and washed off in the morning. If you'd have a brilliantly beautiful complexion, just try this simple method.

Old Country GREEN SOAP

THE HOUN' SONG



BEGIN-FREE-YOUR CURE



of Eczema, Itch, Acne, Pimples,

with sample of POSLAM which may be had by using the coupon below. Note how quickly the itching stops, angry skin is soothed, inflammation is allayed. See the trouble grow less and less each day and finally disappear.



See complexions, red noses or inflamed spots cleared OVERNIGHT. In two weeks worst eczema cases yield to Poslam.

No matter what form your skin affection may take, POSLAM will eradicate it more rapidly and more effectually than anything yet devised. Poslam has simplified the treatment of skin diseases. Nothing exists which can equal it in intense active healing power or certainty of results. Send the coupon today.

POSAM SOAP

is "the best Soap for your Skin" because medicated with Poslam. Prevents infection and disease. Antiseptic. Delightful for every toilet purpose. Sold by all druggists.

LARGE CAKE, 25 CENTS

TRY POSLAM FREE

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

Coupon No. 121

For FREE SAMPLE OF POSLAM, sign this coupon and send it to the POSLAM LABORATORIES, 22 West 25th Street, New York City.

ONION SETS

We can supply you with fine dry sets, red, yellow or white. Prices right. Looks like the market on sets will be higher.

JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE



NEAPOLITAN
In Quart Bricks
Ice Cream and Butter Co.

The Fair Rates and Large Subscribers' List
OF THE
"NEW PHONE"
LOOK FOR THE MAKE IT THE POPULAR SERVICE. HOME CAPITAL.

MORRIS & HARTWELL
LAWYERS
LA CROSSE, WIS.

CALEDONIA, MINN.

Carl Daly and wife returned to Spring Grove Friday night after a short visit with the O. N. O. Hefty family.

Miss Gertrude Trehus of Spring Grove returned to her home Friday after a week's visit here with friends.

The Misses Lilly and Millie Blexrud visited at Spring Grove Friday evening.

Miss Ella Stenebjorn of Spring Grove returned to her home Friday having completed her course in the short course, which has been held at Caledonia since December 16.

Mrs. C. K. Blexrud went to Preston Friday evening for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Helmer Osile returned to her home at Spring Grove Friday evening after a visit with her parents, who reside at this place.

Era and Eda McCarthy of Lancaster arrived here Saturday for a visit with the Lovell family.

Miss Hilda Thompson visited at Spring Grove Friday evening.

Andy Noel of Freeburg is visiting at the home of Mike Welscher.

Olaf Khome attended the dance at Spring Grove Friday evening.

Attorney Kennedy came down from St. Paul Friday for a visit with his parents, who reside in Mayville.

Those Gallagher was a caller at La Crosse Friday.

Pearl Kubitz came up from New Albin Friday evening to attend a teachers' meeting Saturday.

Chas. L. Metcalf was a caller at La Crosse Friday.

Ole Hendrickson of Spring Grove visited friends here Saturday.

Miss Hazel Rhines came down from Spring Grove Saturday for a visit with her parents.

E. Rierison of Spring Grove was a business caller at Caledonia Saturday.

Harry Till came up from Freeburg Saturday to attend to some business at this place.

John Olinger was a Freeburg caller Saturday.

Dr. M. J. Walhus visited over Sunday with his parents at Spring Grove.

Prof. Bassett returned to St. Paul Saturday evening after having finished the corn work at the corn show here.

George Howard left for Preston Saturday evening to hold an educational meeting.

John F. Doherty came over from La Crosse Saturday.

Arthur Wright of Dubuque is visiting with the Laagers near town.

Among those from out of town who attended the corn show here Saturday were: Cora Kolrud, Anna Ness, Inga Solberg, Thelma Kroschus, Manda Trehus, Manda Myhre of Spring Grove; Prof. Herbert Wheaton of Hokah and Prof. Hungerford of Houston.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE
LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature E. W. GROVE, etc.

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Calls answered day and night. Good, easy-riding cars. Prices reasonable.
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WE KNOW HOW
Clean your clothes for Easter. All work guaranteed. Wagons call everywhere.
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Both Phones 227 No. 3rd St.

CARD OF THANKS.
We, the undersigned, wish to extend our sincere thanks to all those who rendered their assistance during the death of wife and mother, Mrs. John Rogowski. Especially do we thank Miss May Kelly and Miss Mary Medralski and the ladies of the Rosary society of the Holy Cross church. Also all who sent floral offerings.
MR. JOHN ROGOWSKI
AND FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank our many friends who so kindly assisted during our sad bereavement, and for the many beautiful floral gifts, and especially to the firing squad and bugler.
MR. AND MRS. JNO. WILHELM
AND FAMILY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
State of Wisconsin.—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Alevis Kisar, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.
Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to William Dwyer, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 19th day of March, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said County, in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1912.
By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL AND NATIONAL DELEGATE ELECTION
Office of the County Clerk, County of La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, ss.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at an election to be held in the several towns, villages and wards of the County of La Crosse, on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1912, being the second day of such month, the following officers are to be elected:

FOUR DELEGATES-AT-LARGE from each political party in the state to the National Convention of such party.

TWO DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention from each political party, in the Seventh congressional district.

A CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, comprised of the counties of La Crosse, Monroe, Trempealeau and Vernon, to succeed Edward C. Higbee, whose term expires the day preceding the first Monday of January, 1913.

Given under my hand and official seal at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, Wisconsin, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1912.
C. H. RAWLINSON,
County Clerk.

Do you think while Amundsen was at the south pole, he spent his time playing Scott (skat)?

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Personals

When in doubt, go to the Bijou. Miss Martha Gable and Herman M. Krings, both of Winona, were married by Judge John Brindley at the court house yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. The prayer service of the Tabernacle Baptist church will be held Thursday evening of this week instead of Friday. The Bible school class will hold a banquet in the church parlors Friday which will begin at 8 o'clock.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

F. Kerr, this city, is transacting business in Milwaukee today.

Henry I. Evert from Cashton, Wis., visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

Fresh lobsters 60c a piece at Schrank's Cafe.

James Morris, a resident of Genoa, is a business caller in the city today.

Zigomar is coming The Lyric. Joe Thompson came to the city from Mabel, Minn., yesterday to remain here for a few days.

J. F. Lapitz, plumbing and heating. 131 So. Sixth. Both phones.

E. M. Briggs, Houston, Minn., is a La Crosse visitor today.

E. S. Rice of Sparta is calling on friends in La Crosse today.

Taxicab for hire. Both phones 123. Charles E. Chase, who lives in Viroqua, visited in the city yesterday.

B. A. Y. 500 party Thurs. 2:30. George Enos arrived in the city from Brownsville, Minn., yesterday to visit friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Clark of De Soto visited friends in the city yesterday.

If you want a carriage, get the Gateway City Trif. Line. Phone 179.

Henry Olson, whose home is in Houston, Minn., is transacting business in La Crosse today.

E. F. U. members and friends—meeting tonight; social dance after meeting. Refreshments. K. P. hall.

A. E. Hoffman from Viroqua was in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. Ida McAllen has left for Chicago to attend the dressmakers' opening.

Zigomar is coming The Lyric. Mrs. J. Felzer left yesterday for Dayton, Ohio.

MISSIONARY FATHERS
ISSUE SCHEDULE

The diocesan missionary fathers, at 930 Cass street, have issued a schedule for their spring missions.

Every week from now till June 30, is filled and the entire months of September and October are taken.

The schedule is as follows:
March 24-31—Mission, Dunlap, Ia.

April 1-7—Mission, Monticello, Ia.

April 10-12, Forty Hours—Hammond, Ind.

April 14-21—Mission, Richland Center, Wis.

April 21-May 5—Two weeks mission, Potosi, Wis.

May 10-12—Forty Hours, St. Patrick's, Ottumwa, Iowa.

May 12-19—Evening lecture course and a day mission for children, St. John's, Oshkosh, Wis.

May 19-26—Mission, Weston, Dunn Co., Wis.

May 26-June 2—Mission, St. Patrick's church, Burlington, Iowa.

June 9-23—Missions at Lynxville, Steuben and Mt. Sterling, Crawford County.

June 23-30—Mission, Viroqua, Wis.

No missions will be preached in July and August. Pastors contemplating missions next year should make arrangements now.

Masons Will Celebrate. Will Exemplify Work in Higher Degree.

Beginning at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Frontier Lodge No. 45 will confer the Master Mason's degree on three candidates. They will call from labor to refreshments at 6:30, and a social hour will be spent together in their large dining hall, after which labor will be resumed again and continued until completed. Quite a number of visitors are expected to attend from nearby lodges. On Friday evening the E. A. degree will be conferred on three candidates.

NOTICE OF REFERENDUM VOTE ON THE ERECTION OF TUBERCULOSIS SANITARIUM.

Office of County Clerk, La Crosse County, State of Wisconsin, ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the election to be held in the several Towns, Villages and Wards in the County of La Crosse, on the first Tuesday of April, 1912, the following question, pursuant to the resolution of the County Board, SHALL A TUBERCULOSIS SANITARIUM BE ERECTED IN LA CROSSE COUNTY?

Given under my hand and official seal at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, Wisconsin, this 12th day of March, A. D. 1912.

C. H. RAWLINSON,
County Clerk.

The old man was dying and calling faithful servant to his side he said: "To my darling niece or ward, I leave many dollars and to my nephew."

100 MORE

of those gold filled Watches, \$9.00 special, for men, women and children. Same kind that sold so well last week. A good watch for a little price. Suitable for the boy at school or the man who must be on time at his work. In short, if you want a timekeeper and value received, see us.

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WHY SHE NEEDED NO FURTHER HELP

A Kentucky Lady Explains to Her Neighbors and Friends How She Did So Well and Needed No Help

Marion, Ky.—"I have never found anything so helpful, in all my life, as Cardui, the Woman's Tonic," writes Mrs. Ella Smith of this place. "It builds up the system like nothing else will, and I will try to get all my neighbors and friends to use this God-sent blessing to women."

I know what I am talking about, too, for I have used Cardui for a number of years, at such times when a woman needs something to strengthen her system.

The result always was that I had no pains and an easy time. So many wondered why, and I told them it was Cardui that did it."

All women, young and old, need a tonic, at certain times. Especially when they are weak, tired, run-down, worn out, no matter from what cause.

Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, is the best tonic for women to take, because its action is upon the womanly organs.

As has often been said, Cardui builds strength where and when women most need it. It helps to strengthen the womanly constitution, prevents or relieves pain, brings back health.

It is always wise to have Cardui on hand, ready for use. Get a bottle today, so you can take a dose or two whenever you feel you need it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64 page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

WISCONSIN WOMEN ARE BREAKING LAY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 20.—Wisconsin suffragettes, while working to secure a majority on a referendum vote for women, have seemingly taken the ground that the corrupt law has nothing to do with their campaign. According to the penal code any act deemed to have been done for political purposes, when the act is done in such a way as to tend to influence directly or indirectly any voter, comes under the law, which provides that regularly filed statements regarding receipts and disbursements during the campaign must be made.

Up to date no statements have been filed by the suffragette leaders of any of the organizations that are working to secure the adoption of the woman suffrage law at the polls next November.

Announcements have been made of large contributions to the cause from sources outside and inside the state. Under the corrupt practices act, the secretary of every party committee must, on the second Saturday after the first disbursement is made, file with the proper official, a statement of all receipts and disbursements.

Failure to file such statements renders the members of the committee liable to court proceedings, should anyone care to take the matter into court. The law provides that any person violating any of the provisions of the act may be punished by fine or imprisonment in the county jail or both by fine and imprisonment in the state prison from one to three years.

It's easier for a man to make money if he isn't on speaking terms with his conscience.

Detroit has a catcher by the name of Onslow. Wonder if that will be how he will get along?

After the Age of Fifty

From this age the human system gradually declines and the accumulated poisons in the blood cause rheumatism in joints, muscles and back. These warnings should be promptly relieved and serious illness avoided by using the following prescription which comes from a noted doctor and is said to have no equal in curing rheumatism and restoring physical vigor. Good results come after the first dose.

"From your druggist get one ounce of Toris compound (in original sealed package) and one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound. Take these two ingredients home and put them into a half pint of good whiskey. Shake the bottle and take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed-time." If your druggist does not have Toris compound in stock he will get it for you in a few hours from his wholesale house. Don't be influenced to take a patent medicine instead of this. Insist on having the genuine Toris compound in the original one ounce, sealed, yellow package.

The small boy who places a tack on the teacher's chair is usually a successful weather man as his action denotes an early spring.

Armour's Bouillon Cubes

In Bulk, 2 for 5c

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Society

W. B. U. BASEBALL DANCE DRAWS CROWD

The St. Patrick's day dance given by the W. B. U. baseball team was a huge success, both socially and financially, one of the largest crowds on record attending. The hall was decorated appropriately for St. Patrick's day and the music was furnished by the school orchestra.

There are about forty candidates for the baseball team, and there is some exceptionally good material from which to pick. Every year there are three or four young men who sign up for the Wisconsin league.

The team can only play until the last of June and have already secured a number of games. The complete schedule will be given later on. Any one desiring games with the W. B. U. baseball team should address Melvin Anderson, manager.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

There was a repetition of the entertainment given by the children of St. Mary's school at the school hall yesterday afternoon. As at the first performance, the evening previous, the hall was more than filled, many being unable to get seats. The play, written and staged by the sisters, was a clever little entertainment and showed good and patient training. The choruses were good.

Little Johnnie Kling Sousa was the "sensation of the hour" as director of the zobo drill and brought down the house with tremendous applause. Everyone did exceedingly well and there was not a break in the whole entertainment.

SUPRISE FOR MISS CLEMENT

Fifty-five girls, mostly members of the gymnasium classes, took supper at the association last evening in honor of the birthday of Miss Clement, physical director. The affair was a surprise to Miss Clement.

Supper was served in picnic style. A birthday cake, with the requisite number of candles, was in evidence, and much merriment was caused by the search for the emblematical ring, thimble and coin.

Miss Clement was presented with a handsome traveling bag by those present.

ROWENA CIRCLE CARD PARTY

Rowena circle, Brotherhood of American Yeomen held their regular meeting in Linker hall Tuesday afternoon. Progressive cinch was played for prizes of haviland china, which were won by Mesdames Krueger, Groves, Drake, Foster, Rubert and Boucher. The ladies entertained their husbands and friends at a cinch party Monday evening and a pleasant evening was spent. First prizes were won by Mrs. C. Rossberg and Mr. Welch; second by Mrs. Lee and Mr. Faucher, while the third prizes were won by Mesdames Grove and Horn. The ladies will give a public 500 party Thursday afternoon, March 21.

SEEKS REMEDY FOR HIGH COST OF LIVING

Mrs. Ollie James, wife of the newly elected senator from Kentucky, who came to Washington a bride soon after her husband first took his seat in Congress about eight years ago. Until this year they have boarded in Washington, but now have started housekeeping in one of the big fashionable apartment houses. She says that since they have established their home that she has learned more about the high price of living in a practical way than years of reading it has conveyed. She is much interested in the problem and says that she is appalled at the meager quantity of food that she is able to buy with a dollar.

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RESERVED SEATS NOW ON SALE
AT THE Y. M. C. A. THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MARCH 21-22.

KEIZER DIRECTS PAYMENT OF TAX

Income Tax Assessor Gives
Directions on How to
Fill Out Income
Blanks

BLANKS CAUSING CONFUSION

All Income Whether Ex-
empt or Not Should Be
Listed in the State-
ment

J. E. Keizer, income tax assessor for La Crosse and Monroe counties, makes the following statement in regard to provisions of the law which are not thoroughly understood:

All persons receiving income tax blanks are required to make returns; the fact that the individual is not subject to an income tax will not relieve him from making a return.

A person who is subject to the income tax is not relieved from the obligation to make returns by the fact that he has not been formally required to do so by the assessor.

Income—What to Include.
All rent of real estate, including the estimated rental of residence property occupied by the owner thereof.

All interests derived from money loaned or invested in notes, mortgages, bonds or other evidence of debt of any kind whatsoever.

All wages, salaries or fees derived from service.
All dividends or profits derived from stock or from the purchase or sale of any property acquired within three years previous or from any business whatsoever.

All royalties from the possession or use of franchises or legalized privileges of any kind, and all other incomes of any kind derived from any source whatsoever, except as is hereinafter exempt.

The interest derived from mortgages is taxable as income whether the mortgages are on property within or without the state and without reference to whether the mortgages are taxed or not.

The income here defined is gross income; the taxable net income is to be computed by subtracting the deductions and exemptions.

Deductions Allowed Individuals.
The ordinary and necessary expenses actually paid within the year in carrying on the profession, occupation or business from which income is derived, including a reasonable allowance for depreciation of the property from which the income is derived.

Losses during the year and not compensated for by insurance or otherwise.

Dividends or income received by any person from stocks, or interest in any firm, co-partnership, corporation, joint stock company or association, the income of which shall have been assessed under the provisions of this act.

Interest paid within the year on existing indebtedness. "Within the Year" evidently means within the year in which the income was received.

Interest received from bonds or other securities exempt from taxation under the laws of the United States.

Salaries or other compensation received from the United States by officials thereof.

Pensions received from the United States.

Taxes paid during the year upon the property or business from which the income hereby taxed is derived.

That does not mean that all taxes can be deducted, but only those paid on the property which produced the income.

All inheritance, devises and bequests received during the year upon which an inheritance tax has been paid to the state.

Life insurance to the total amount of ten thousand dollars.

Exemptions to Individuals

To an individual \$800.00.

To husband and wife \$1,200.00.

For each child under the age of eighteen years \$200.00.

For each additional person for whom support the taxpayer is legally liable and who is entirely dependent upon the taxpayer for his support \$200.00.

"Additional person" must be not only one "for whose support the taxpayer is legally liable" but also one who is "entirely dependent upon the taxpayer for his support."

The above are abstracts from the Income Tax law and explanatory notes.

The following is a copy of the law on personal property tax which may be deducted or offset against the income tax, but must not be taken into consideration in making out your statement of income.

"Any person who shall have paid a tax upon his personal property during any year shall be permitted to present the receipt therefor to, and have the same accepted by the tax collector to its full amount in the payment of taxes due upon the income of such person during the said year. Any bank which has paid taxes during any year upon its shares assessed to the individual stockholders thereof shall be entitled, under the provisions of this section, to present the receipt therefor, and have the same accepted by the tax collector to its full amount in the payment of taxes due upon the income of such bank during said year."

This is construed to mean the personal property tax which is levied in the same year the income tax becomes due; or in other words the two



SPRING OPENING

J. BARTEL CO.

409-411-413 MAIN STREET.

LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN.

TOMORROW ushers in the Spring Season and with it a display of New, Seasonable Merchandise in **Fabrics, Colorings and Designs** that cannot help but please.

IT'S A SEASON OF SILKS—The popularity of silks is more pronounced than ever. A strong tendency being toward Chiffon Taffetas in fancies, plain and changeable effects, also Silk Poplins and Foulards. We are showing the new bordered silks in dress pattern lengths, per pattern \$10.

New Neckwear

The latest showing in fine neckwear, Coat Sets, Jabots, Collars, Fichues and Corsage Bouquets from 25c up to \$2.75.

PRE-EASTER GLOVES

Everything new in kid, silk and fabric gloves in 3, 12 and 16 button lengths. Our "own great Special" 16 button silk gloves in all shades, \$1.00 value, at the pair **75c**

Favorite Dress Fabrics

Fabric for the Spring 1912 has decreed that suiting shall be among the most popular. We are showing all the new weaves.



WE CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO INSPECT OUR
Opening Display of Spring Millinery
Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 21, 22, 23

Salespeople imbued with cheerful and enthusiastic spirit bend every energy to make this season the most satisfying to everyone. They will take pleasure in showing you the very latest models.

MISS B. THOMPSON



DON'T FORGET THE AUCTION SALE

of the LEVY HOUSEHOLD GOODS
(antique furniture, etc.) at 9:00 o'clock
TOMORROW MORNING at the
S. Gantert Furniture & Rug House

110-112-114 SOUTH THIRD STREET
EVERYTHING STRICTLY CASH

BOB BEATS TAFT AND COLONEL BY 15,000 MAJORITY

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It is declared he could not overcome La Follette's apparent lead, in the thickly populated eastern and central counties.

Progressive Chosen

Thomas F. Marshall of Oakes, the progressive candidate for national committeeman, claims to have been elected over E. C. Cooper of Fargo, the stalwart, by a margin greater than that of La Follette.

Little interest attached to the democratic primaries. Governor John Burke, whose name was the only one on the ballot for president, received a very small percentage of the normal democratic vote. Six candidates were entered in the race for democratic national committeeman, and the returns indicate the race is close between John Brugger of Williston and George Duis of Grand Forks.

Candidates for both La Follette and Roosevelt delegates to the national convention and the presidential electors were on the ballot and it is probable the La Follette lists have been elected by about the same pluralities as their leaders.

Chairman Tucker of the progressive committee today declared there is no evidence to support the charges made by the Roosevelt supporters that democrats voted in the republican primaries.

"The increase over Taft's vote in 1908, which was 57,680, is accounted for by the rapid increase in population in this state," he said. "Of course the returns already compiled are from the most populous districts and the sparsely populated counties will not add greatly to the total figures. We were expecting the heaviest vote ever cast in the state."

Under the new primary law, the delegates elected to go to the national convention are pledged to vote and work for the candidate for president endorsed at the polls. No penalty for a violation is provided but moral effect is expected to be sufficient to keep the delegates in line.

assessments must be of the same year.

The personal property tax of 1912 may be deducted from the income tax which became due in said year.

WILL CONTROL AT CHICAGO, IS THE OPINION OF "BOB"

(Continued from Page 1)

by legislative enactment. I think that the North Dakota primaries measure up to that test. Colonel Roosevelt says that he is for presidential preference primaries and I shall join issue in these primaries, not by any blanket challenge, but by going into these states where these primaries are provided for by law and properly safeguarded and fighting the thing out there and now."

Health is Good

"How is your health, senator?" he was asked.

"The senator is feeling splendid," interrupted Mrs. La Follette. "This trip has done him a world of good. To get away from that endless Washington grind has been the very best thing in the world for him."

"I had not felt so well for a year as I did when I left Washington for North Dakota," said the senator. "And I feel even better now than when I started."

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GAS EXPLOSION KILLS 9 PERSONS

Gas in Old Colliery Believed to Be Cause of
Explosion in Pennsylvania

SCRANTON, Pa., March 20.—By an explosion of either gas or dynamite, supposedly gas, in Dunmore, early this morning, eight persons were killed and one very seriously injured.

Two buildings were entirely destroyed and a number of others damaged. The dead are: Mrs. John Cavalla, Rose Cavalla, Lucy Cavalla, 11; Lizzie Cavalla, 14; Dominick Cavalla, 8; William Cavalla, 20; Mrs. Vito Summa, 50; Frank Summa, 40; Mamie Summa, 7, is in the state hospital in a critical condition. Her recovery is in doubt. The body of this little girl was found in a tree some distance from the explosion.

The explosion occurred at 3:30 this morning in the house of John Cavalla, Elm street, Dunmore. He was away from home at the time. The Cavalla family occupied the first floor of the building. The entire family, save the father, is wiped out.

The second floor was occupied by Mrs. Vito Summa and family. Mrs. Summa and her son are dead and the daughter is in the state hospital and will probably die.

The theory advanced by the authorities is that a quantity of gas had accumulated under the Cavalla dwelling and been exploded in some manner. Mine workings are close to the surface at this point and it was only a few days ago that miners from Nantong colliery came to the surface through the cellar of a house nearby.

AUTO FIRM REORGANIZES

NEW YORK, March 20.—A committee representing the stockholders of the Allis Chalmers company today decided to make application for a friendly receiver and organize a new corporation. The new company will have capital stock of \$42,500,000. An assessment of 20 per cent will be levied on the present preferred stockholders and ten per cent on the common stockholders.

HUNT FOR MURDERED

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 20.—The murder of R. N. Winter, formerly of Minneapolis, in his home near Mora, Minn., and the flight of the murderer to Minneapolis has brought Kanabec county officials here today. The search for the murderer will center in Minneapolis according to Sheriff Otto Allman and County Attorney John P. King of Kanabec county.

HAZEL WINTERS ARRAIGNED

Mrs. William Bellesbach, alias Hazel Winters was arraigned before Judge E. Cronon in police court late this afternoon on the charge of keeping a house of prostitution. Her request for an adjournment until Monday was granted. Miss Nell Brown who was arrested at the home of Mrs. Bellesbach on the charge of being a common prostitute was fined \$12.50 yesterday.

TWO DIE IN HOTEL

NAPLES, March 20.—Marchese Salvatore Volpicelli and an unknown American woman were found dead this afternoon in a room in the Hotel Resorgimento. Both died of bullet wounds. The police withheld the particulars, pending an investigation.

COTTON MILL STRIKE?

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 20.—A strike of 30,000 mill operatives here may be ordered tonight. The cotton manufacturers' association, after a conference today, flatly rejected the union demands for a 15 per cent wage increase.

ATTEMPT ON KNOX

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.—That the reported attempt on the life of Secretary Knox while he was traveling from Corinto to Managua, in Nicaragua, was well planned was the substance of lengthy mail advices received from Bluefields. They say thirteen dynamite bombs were found carefully planted between the railroad tracks and connected with an electric battery. The discovery was made after the train with the secretary and party on board had passed, and it is believed an imperfect connection prevented their being detonated. Nearly fifty arrests were made and some of the ringleaders will be put to death, it is said.



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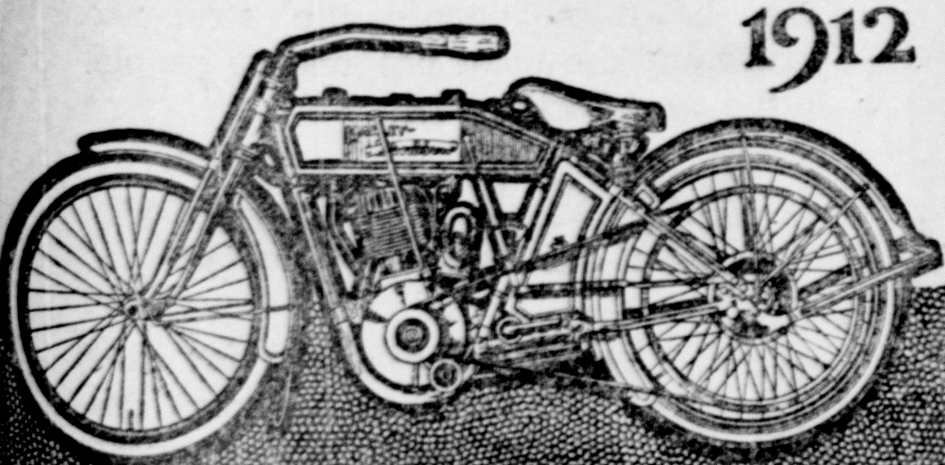
MANCHESTER, N. H., March 20.—President Taft spoke to 2,000 here yesterday before the French-American club, which acted as host to the party. As he left the train he was greeted by the presidential salute of twenty-one guns. Four companies of state militia escorted the president to the state armory, where she made a short speech and was introduced to the city officials. Several mills were visited and then the party continued to Gregorville, where the Cercle Nationale, the French club, held an informal reception. Another brief address and the party went to Mechanics' hall, where the chief address of the day was delivered. The next stop was at the Deerfield club, where a short address was made, and the party continued to Concord.

It's difficult for a man who is broke to break into society.

SITE OF HOTEL STARTS TO SINK

WINNIPEG, Man., March 20.—A catastrophe was threatened this afternoon on the site of the Grand Trunk Pacific hotel on Broadway, the Fort Garry, a \$2,000,000 structure in course of construction, when thousands of tons of earth started to sink rapidly into the excavation. The first intimation of what was happening the creaking and groaning of timber stays on the northeast corner. Nothing could be done to stop the slide. It is calculated that the pressure exercised by the earth was 6,000 pounds to the square foot. Heavy steel pillars were bent in as if they had been paper, and the entire east side of the steel structure was badly strained. A gaping fissure six feet wide marks the extent of the landslide. It extends the entire length of the east side of the excavation, half way across the north front.

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T. R. STARTS HIS GOTHAM BATTLE

Gets Support of Colored Committee to Boom His Presidential Candidacy

NEW YORK, March 20.—The Roosevelt campaign to secure delegates to the Chicago convention, who will be elected at the primaries on March 26, began on the East side last night. Speakers were Francis J. Heney, once prosecutor in San Francisco but now practicing law, and Amos Pinchot, Roosevelt will make his first speech in Carnegie hall, on the right of the people to rule tonight.

The Roosevelt colored county committee, a negro organization formed Monday night to boom the Roosevelt candidacy, descended fifty strong on the Outlook office yesterday. While the members waited for the colonel to arrive, Rev. R. C. Ransom, a negro minister and one of the original organizers, and George Manchester, white, deputy manager of the Roosevelt committee of this city, engaged in a lively wrangle over which of them should introduce the visitors. Ransom won and made a lengthy speech in which he declared that the "hope of the negro race in America" rested with the colonel, who was the only "real friend" the negroes ever had.

Roosevelt thanked the visitors for their support, and said that he was glad to believe that he was "trying to represent the square deal for every one."

UNION RIDGE, MINN.

Melvin C. Cunningham was given a surprise party Sunday evening at his home by a number of the young people, it being his 23rd birthday. The evening was spent in games and other amusements until twelve o'clock when supper was served. While supper was being served songs were rendered, among them "Come Back to Erin," and "Melodies From Ireland," by Miss Fogarty and "Killarney," and "The Harp that once through Tara's Halls," by Mr. Mahoney. After supper the guests listened to talks about Ireland until a later hour. They presented Mr. Cunningham with a beautiful mission wood chair.

L. H. Casey spent Monday in Caledonia.

Thore Lee spent Sunday with friends here.

Gunder Sandon arrived here from Emerson Saturday to see his father who is ill.

Miss Clara Hegland spent Sunday with her parents here.

WANTS FUNDS FOR FARMER'S WIDOW

LINCOLN, March 19.—A legislative appropriation for Mrs. Roy Blunt, the girl widow of the young Sarpy county farmer who was killed during the gun battle between the convicts and the man hunting posse Monday, is proposed by Sheriff Hyers of Lincoln.

The sheriff wired his condolences to Mrs. Blunt and pledged himself to request Governor Aldrich to urge the appropriation by the next legislature. The governor the next day expressed regret over the tragic fate of the young farmer, but declared his belief that the posse had desperate men to deal with and did their best to avoid injury to young Blunt.

Governor Aldrich spent the entire forenoon at the penitentiary, counseling with the new warden, S. M. Melick.

Talent in the kitchen and a balance in the bank should form a combination for generating domestic bliss.

Milady's Toilet Table

By Mme. D'MILLE

To keep the skin soft and lovely, gently massage the face, neck and arms daily with a solution made by dissolving an original package of mayatone in a half pint of witch hazel. This is better than powder, for it gives a more natural appearance and will not rub off, although it makes the complexion smooth, white and satiny.

To cleanse and refresh the scalp and hair, use a dry shampoo powder made by mixing a cupful of cornmeal with a small original package of the rox. Sprinkle on the head and brush out thoroughly. Too much water makes the hair harsh, dry and faded. Therox strengthens thin and weak hair and produces thick and luxuriant, brilliant tresses.

Pain and worry give one an anxious, harried look. Many women have told me that Mother's Salve gave them relief from headache, pains and aches of the back or joints, sore muscles, sprains, bruises, rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia and other common afflictions. It is easy to use, quick to act, and should be in every home.

Superfluous hair is a most annoying and embarrassing disfigurement. Ladies can easily and quickly remove wild hairs from face and forearms by an application of delatone paste. Just mix powdered delatone with enough water to cover the hairy surface; apply and after two or three minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs will be gone.

CHARITIES JOIN NATIONAL BODY

Board of Directors of Local Association Signs Transportation Agreement at Meeting

VISITING NURSE REPORTS

Vote of Thanks Given the Elks for Their Generous Donations to the Needy

Deciding to sign the transportation agreement, the board of directors of the Associated Charities at a meeting in the city hall last night took the step which was necessary to be taken in order to allow the local organization to join the national association of societies for organizing charity. A communication from the national association informed the local society of the fact that they would have to sign the transportation agreement, which is to the effect that no town must send anybody to another city unless they know that they will be cared for there, given work there, or that they belong there, before they would be eligible to join.

Miss Peterson, visiting nurse, submitted her report which is as follows:

Cases carried over, 26; new cases, 21; total, 47; discharged, 23; still under care, 24. Total visits, 182; working visits, 120; instructive visits, 46; friendly visits, 8; miscellaneous visits, 8. Linen loaned: Sheets, 6; night gowns, 2; binders, 4; sick room articles loaned, 2.

Two baby outfits given away. From the Elks' charity fund three dozen eggs were furnished patients, two families were supplied with groceries, and one patient was given underwear. Total expended, \$9.03.

Donated by Hebrew Ladies' Aid society, \$5; collected, \$2.25.

A cartoon and an article which appeared in the Chicago Record-Herald some time ago were brought up before the meeting and as both are in the interests of charity it was decided to instruct the secretary to communicate with the Chicago paper with a view towards getting the cut and article to be run in the local papers.

The report of Humane Officer C. H. Berry showed that \$200 and many articles of wearing apparel have been donated to the society. With these supplies 108 homes have been visited and 308 children given help. The secretary was instructed to extend a vote of thanks to the Elks for the generous donations they have made to the society.

RUSHFORD, MINN.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Grinager of Brooklyn was held last Thursday from the Rushford Lutheran church, Rev. Saevig conducting the services. Mrs. Grinager was born in Hadeland, Norway in 1849 and in 1870 came to America, becoming the wife of Mr. E. J. Grinager the year following. They at first resided in North Prairie, later moved to a farm in Pine Creek Valley and six years ago moved to the present home in Brooklyn, though still retaining possession of the homestead in Pine Creek Valley. Mrs. Grinager had been bed-ridden for nearly four years, but by her sweet patience and great fortitude endeavored herself to all with whom she came in contact. There is left to mourn her husband and eight children, all of whom were present at the funeral except a daughter, Mrs. J. Erickson of Plaza, N. D., who, being ill, was unable to come.

J. M. McCaughey of Kasson, candidate for congress and William E. Lee of Long Prairie, candidate for governor, were Rushford visitors last week.

Mr. G. W. Rockwell who last Thursday slipped upon an icy walk and sustained very painful injuries upon the head, is at present report recovering slowly, but if no further complications set in, will recover his usual health shortly.

The annual spring elections took place last Tuesday, Nouston, Whalen, Lanesboro and Spring Valley voting no license. Spring Grove went license for the first time in its history. The city caucus of last Tuesday resulted in the following nominations: Mayor, W. W. Webster; councilors, Peter Miller, A. J. Holle, E. L. Sheldahl, W. F. Drake, C. C. Jensen; city clerk, O. E. Reihus; treasurer, J. M. Webster; city justices, M. C. Eischen, H. Warnson; constables, D. McCormack, O. C. Johnson.

Contractors Akre and Dahl were Lewiston visitors last week.

Leo Murphy, who has had an operation for appendicitis at a La Crosse hospital, is at his home north of town and is slowly regaining his health. We learn that two other members of the Murphy family will be obliged to submit to operations for appendicitis, which will make four cases in the family within the year. Miss Elizabeth, an older daughter, having just recovered from an operation for the same trouble.

Mrs. Peter Larson who was operated on at a La Crosse hospital last week is very weak and grave doubts exist as to her full recovery.

There was held in Preston on last Friday a convention to consider the question of forming a county anti-tuberculosis association. Delegates from Rushford, Spring Valley and Chatfield and a number of more distant towns were in attendance.

We learn that Christian Berg has sold his city property on Ferry street to a lady from Bratsburg.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Bunke of Hart neighborhood was taken to La Crosse for an operation for ap-

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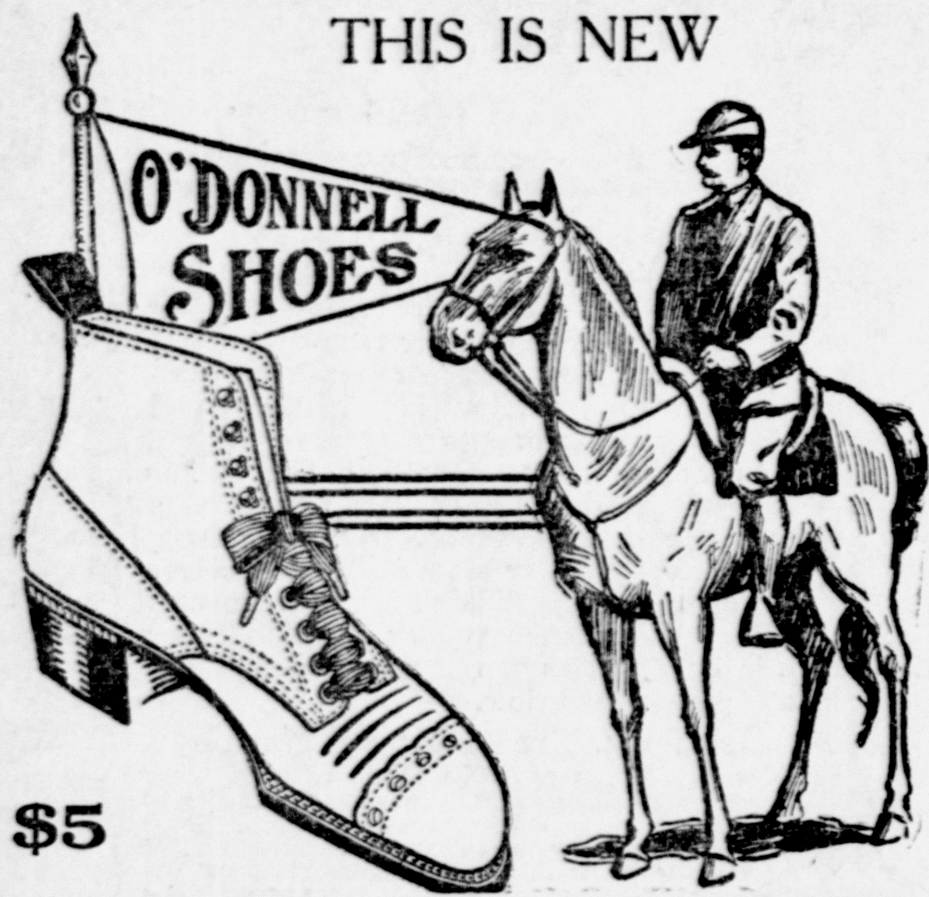
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SPORTING
:: NEWS ::BASEBALL STARTS
HERE ON MAY 14

League to Be Either of
Four or Six Clubs; El-
liott to Draw Up the
Schedules

MEETING HERE ON APRIL 3

Monday Meet at Eau Claire
Adjourned Pending Word
from Superior and
Duluth

Deciding to have President John A. Elliott draw up schedules for a four-club league and a six-club league, the directors of the Minny league held a meeting at Eau Claire Monday when the affairs of the organization were discussed. The meeting was adjourned to April 3 when another session will be held in La Crosse. It is likely that the Minny league will play ball this year beginning May 14, but whether it will be composed of four or six clubs is not known.

A meeting of all interested in baseball in this city is to be held at the court house Friday. An invitation is extended to all who want to see a baseball team in La Crosse to be present. On the outcome of this meeting will depend whether the league is to be composed of four or six teams, as well as whether or not La Crosse will be represented in the Minny league.

Four Towns Represented
La Crosse, Winona, Eau Claire and Rochester were the only clubs represented at the meeting, nobody from Duluth or Superior being present and no word from these towns was received. J. A. Elliott represented La Crosse, H. D. Davis was present in the interests of Eau Claire, Max Conrad of Winona was there, and Rochester was represented by proxy. President Elliott was instructed to take up the matter of staying in the league with Duluth and Superior. This will be done before the league directors meet in La Crosse April 3. There has long been a question as to whether or not these towns intended again entering the league and it is the purpose of the directors to find out just how they stand.

Will Draw Schedules
President Elliott will at once take up the matter of drawing schedules for four and six club leagues. In case it is decided to have a four club league a ninety game schedule was suggested with the season opening on May 14, and fifteen open dates being provided for. The mileage would be cut down lower than before, and a salary limit of \$1,200, including the manager, was set. If the league were composed of Rochester, Eau Claire, Winona and La Crosse, it is planned to have the season open with the two northern teams playing in the two southern towns, Winona and La Crosse, for a series of three games each, then change and have the two northern teams play three games with each other in each city and the southern teams play two series with each other in the same manner. After this the southern teams would go to the northern towns for series of three games in each place after which they would change again. Every Monday would in this way be an open date and Sunday dates would be equally divided.

SUFFRAGETTE GETS
SIX MONTHS WORK

LONDON, March 20.—Defiantly insisting that she would repeat her offense and warning the government that unless it grants the suffrage to women, scenes that will eclipse all previous demonstrations are certain, Helen Pittfield, one of the leading militant suffragettes, was sentenced today to six months' imprisonment at hard labor. She admitted trying to burn up one of the branch postoffice. When she was brought into Old Bailey court, the woman defiantly declared that her punishment would greatly aid the cause.

HE WOULD RESTORE
HIS FATHER'S SIGHT

CLEVELAND, O., March 20.—Johnny Kilbane is hoping for a modern day miracle that will restore the sight that was lost to his aged father several years ago. He declared today that the elder Kilbane will be among the next band of pilgrims that visits the shrine of Our Lady of Consolation at Carey, Ohio. This shrine is credited with marvelous cures. Thousands go there each year and tales are told of cripples who throw away their crutches and incurable invalids restored to health.

Many doctors have told Johnny that the father's blindness cannot be cured, but the featherweight champion refuses to despair.

TRAINS FOR DENNING

NEW YORK, March 20.—Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul pugilist sensation, is in hard training today at the new Polo Athletic club today for his fight on Tuesday night with Jack Denning at the Fairmont Athletic club. In their last encounter Gibbons had a close call.

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CHAMPIONSHIP OF
CITY AT STAKE

High School and Normal
Teams to Play Elimina-
tion Games Satur-
day Night

The High school and normal school basketball teams will meet in the Normal gymnasium next Saturday night. This game will be an elimination game in deciding the city championship. The Normals have already been defeated by the local Y. M. C. A. quintet and if the high school boys defeat the teachers by a substantial score they will have just as strong a claim for the city honors as have the Y. M. C. A. five.

A great deal of friendly rivalry exists between these two teams and each will play its hardest to win. Several of the pedagogues are former High school players and with the added experience they have received in the Normal games ought to be able to play a good game against the High school boys.

On the other hand the High school boys are not worrying about being shown up as they have also met some strong fives and have defeated them by substantial scores.

This game will in all probability be the Normals' last, but will give the High school five a chance to keep in trim for the games they are to play at the Appleton tournament the last week in March.

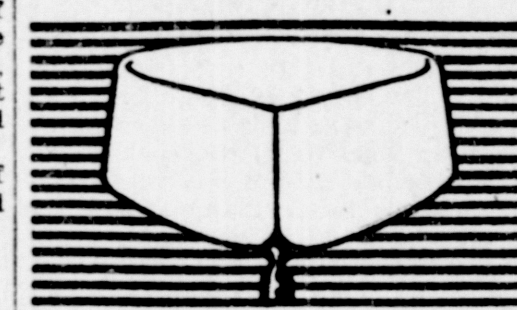
The rival rooters of the Normal and High school will be given a good chance to again cope with each other in cheering their teams to victory.

BURNS GETS HIS

NEW YORK, March 20.—Kid Burns, the local scrapper, is the possessor of a fine lot of unsightly souvenirs today. His left eye is nearly closed, his right ear is so badly bruised that it promises to blossom out into "cauliflower" and his nose is sadly twisted. Packey McFarland started the decorating job at Kenosha, Wis., late last week and Jack Goodman finished it up last night. With the exception of the first round, Goodman had all the better of it.

MOHA AFTER FLYNN

NEW YORK, March 20.—Bob Moha, the western middleweight, announced today that he was after the scalp of Fireman Jim Flynn of Pueblo. He says if he succeeds in putting away Sailor Burke at the National Sporting club on Thursday night, he wants to meet Flynn on any terms the latter may suggest.



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CHANCE HAPPY;
CUBS IN FORM

Beat Sea Gulls 3 to 2 by
Mid-season Work; Mc-
Graw Pitches for the
Giants; Sox Divide

MOBILE, Ala., March 20.—The Cub veterans are rounding into great form according to Manager Chance today. Yesterday's game with the Sea Gulls forced the veterans to go the limit and they carried the goods, winning 3 to 2. Ed Reulbach held the locals scoreless for five innings and was then relieved by Marshall. Two double plays and some other midseason support on the part of the "old stagers" contributed to the victory.

Muggsy a Pitcher
MARLIN, Texas, March 20.—Muggsy McGraw is so pleased with his own work on the mound that he may perform in some of the exhibition games before the league season opens. Muggsy pitched the last six innings of yesterday's game, holding the regulars runless in five of the rounds and driving in the winning tally in the seventh, with a screeching double.

Sox Team Divide
WACO, Texas, March 20.—The White Sox premiers and Gleason's Goofs parted company today, the latter squad, commanded by Doc White leaving this morning for San Antonio to begin practice on the diamond to be vacated today by Connie Mack's Athletics. Following the "bawl-up" yesterday when Callahan discovered that one of the diamonds he figured on using had been leased to the Kansas City Blues, the Sox leader decided to split his team. The Goofs probably will remain at San Antonio the balance of the training season.

Despite the lack of diamond space the Sox went through a strenuous practice yesterday and expected to repeat the dose today.

PIN MEET LEAD
DOES NOT SHIFT

CHICAGO, March 20.—There was no change in the "money division" in the various events of the American Bowling Congress tournament today as the result of yesterday's bombardment of the maples. The best shooting of the day was by George Warman and Charles Meisner of Dayton, Ohio, in the doubles. Their total was 160. Eddie Meyer of Indianapolis led in the singles with a total of 623. The work of the squads was mediocre, the best work being done by the Ames-Bonner teams of Toledo, 2708.

Bowlers from Rochester, Buffalo, Alliance, Ohio, Peoria, Toledo, Canton, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Oshkosh, Omaha, Indianapolis and Los Angeles took the floor today.

TO MATCH SUTER
WITH THE WINNER

Sutor of Cleveland, Ohio, who claims the welterweight championship, is to be matched to meet the winner of the Walter Miller-Jack Little wrestling match according to the plans of J. P. Moore, who is promoting the bout.

A letter from W. P. Hart, Eau Claire wrestling promoter, informed Mr. Moore that Suter and Adamson have matches in various parts of the state and he would like to have them appear in La Crosse to meet Little, Miller or any other good wrestler. It has been planned that Suter is to meet the winner of the Little-Miller match in this city at an early date.

BADGERS CLAIM TITLE

MADISON, Wis., March 20.—A rousing mass meeting and reception at the university gym is scheduled for tonight when the Badger basketball team will be formally crowned western champions. The Badgers finished with a clean record of 12 games won. The fact that Purdue also finished with a clean record of ten games is not considered by the local enthusiasts because of the claim that Purdue evaded a championship game with the Badgers.

KENOSHA PASTORS
AGAINST BOXING

KENOSHA, Wis., March 20.—Headed by Rev. Peter Stair and Rev. E. L. Farill, ministers of Kenosha yesterday appealed to Governor McGovern to stop the boxing match between Hugo Kelly and Eddie McGorty, scheduled to take place here tonight. A petition, the ministers declared, had been signed by forty prominent business men and citizens pending against the fight. The promoters said the contest would occur as scheduled.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Dyed-in-the-wool boxing fans awoke this morning with their eyes turned toward Kenosha, Wis., where Hugo Kelly and Eddie McGorty claimants for the middleweight mantle which fell from the shoulders of Stanley Ketchel meet tonight in a battle for the privilege of meeting the winner of the Klaus-Dillon match for the middleweight championship.

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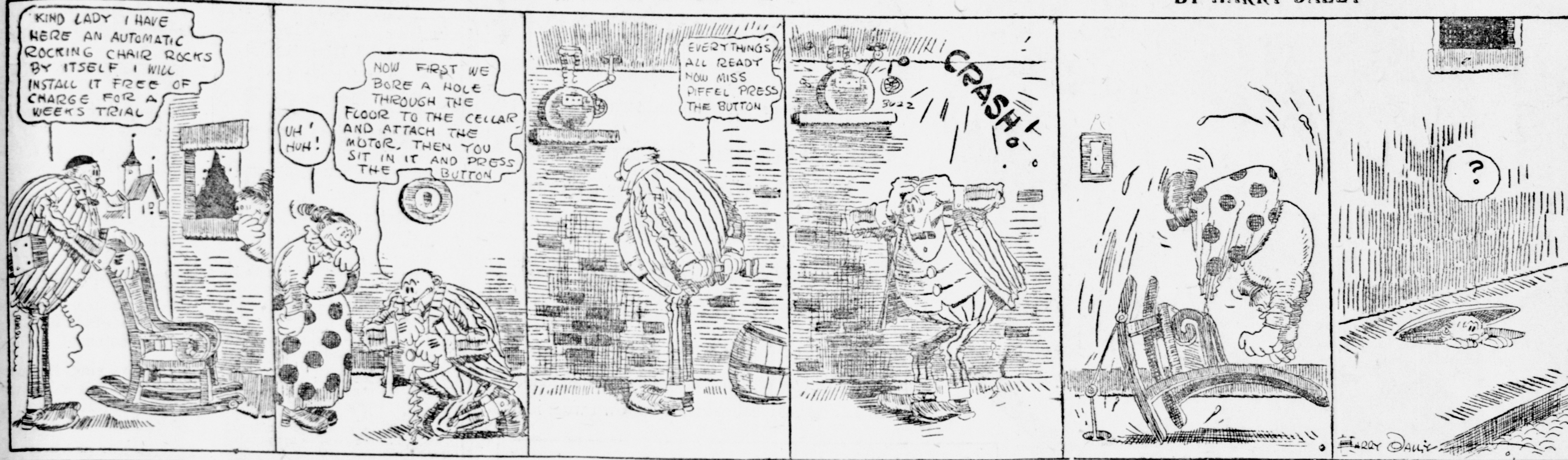
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BY HARRY DALLY



HELP WANTED--MALE

WANTED—Middle aged man with some mechanical knowledge. References required. Steady position. Address S. R., care of Tribune. 3 19 21

WANTED—Press feeders at the Inland Printing Co. 3 20 21

WANTED—Two single gentlemen canvassers, over 25 years of age. Address L. F. Simpson, General Delivery, La Crosse, Wis. 3 20 22

WANTED—Blacksmith. L. O. Kirz, West Salem, Wis. 3 20 21

WANTED—Press feeders at Liesenfeld's Printing Co. 3 20 26

WANTED—Two young single men to travel with manager and sell. Quick promotions to right man. Call La Crosse hotel Thursday night and Friday morning. J. P. Andre. 3 20 21

TRUSTWORTHY MEN or women wanted as local representatives of responsible manufacturer. High-class merchandise and clean selling methods. \$12.00 per week guaranteed on easy conditions, with possibility of \$30.00 and advance. Experience not necessary. Manufacturer, Box 278, Philadelphia.

HELP WANTED--FEMALE

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, in small family. 122 South 17th street. 3 13 26

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good pay. 220 South Eleventh. 3 19 21

WANTED—Sewing machine operators and girls to work by the week. Steady employment. Apply at La Crosse Clothing Co. 3 18 23

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1304 Main. 3 18 20

WANTED—A girl at the Wilson house, 234 South Sixth street. 3 18 21

WANTED—Experienced looper, over 16 years of age. Steady work guaranteed. Good wages. New machines. Chicago-Reno Hosiery Company, Kenosha, Wis. 2 24 44

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire Mrs. C. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 3 2 11

WANTED—Experienced lady bookkeeper and stenographer; references required. Give full information first letter. Address Mercantile, care Tribune. 3 1 11

WANTED—Bookkeeper, also stenographer. Address Box 648, City. 3 20 11

WANTED—Millinery apprentice girl. 710 Winnebago. 3 4 11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Chickens. Call new phone 788-R. 3 19 23

FOR SALE—The only hotel in good growing town near La Crosse. 18 rooms, new furniture, bath, electric light, two barns, hold 13 head, store building adjoining hotel. Will take some La Crosse property in exchange. This is a big money maker for right party. 6 per cent first farm mortgages, from \$250 to \$5,000. No safer investment. Interest collected and remitted free. Send for particulars and list of offerings. Frank G. Roth Realty Co., Majestic building, La Crosse, Wis. wed sat

FOR SALE—Upright piano; owner leaving city. Will sell cheap. Inquire 944 Johnson street. 3 20 22

FOR SALE—Heavy work team. Call 526 South Seventh. 3 20 11

FOR SALE—A chest of plumbers' tools; cheap if taken at once. 1118 South Third. 3 20 22

FOR SALE—Five acres of land, 7-room house, also barn 36x24, in good repair. Outside of city limits, on Mormon coulee road, six blocks from end of car line. Call old phone 2014-2R. 3 20 26

FOR SALE—Furniture, including ladies' bicycle, gas stove and sewing machine. 603 Ferry. 3 19 25

FOR SALE—Household goods, at 912 Avon. 3 19 25

FOR SALE—At a bargain, soft coal heater and sanitary couch. Inquire 209 North Third. 3 19 20

FOR SALE—Property on southwest corner 7th and Market Sts. Inquire between 7 and 9 p. m. at 616 Mar. St. Mon Wed Fri 11

FOR SALE—Good residence, one block from car line. 1603 Johnson street. 3 13 4 11

FOR SALE—Columbia disc graphophone. A bargain. New phone 1097-R. 3 9 11

FOR SALE—20 foot white cedar launch, 6 h. p. engine. Inquire 869 Charles street. 3 18 22

FOR SALE—Combination bookcase. New phone 474-C. 3 18 21

FOR SALE—Single and double driving harness, some light and heavy horses, one span of mares with foal and two light baggage wagons. Gateway City Transfer Co. 3 18 30

FOR SALE—First class cigar store and billiard room. Address G. C., care of Tribune. 3 18 23

FOR SALE—Brick cottage, 1107 State street. 3 18 11

FOR SALE—House and lot, 417 Caledonia street. New phone 519-C. 3 14 20

FOR SALE—On account of failing health, I will sell my hotel very reasonable. I am willing to take small farm near town or a residence in town as part payment. Box 563, Tomah, Wis. 3 15 23

FOR SALE—120 egg incubator, also brooder, cheap. Address B 4, care Tribune. 3 16 11

FOR SALE—Dry wood, at \$5.00 per cord, by Ed. LaFleur, new phone 1006-A.

MANDY LEE INCUBATORS and brooders are sold in La Crosse by Poehling Bros. Write for catalogue and prices. 1517 Farwell St. 3 19 4 1

FOR SALE—Household furniture; must be sold immediately, at 315 South Third street. 3 19 25

FOR SALE—Restaurant outfit and soda fountain. Inquire 223 No. Third. 3 11 27

FOR SALE—Rambler roadster, 1911 model "63," fully equipped, in A1 condition. Call W. M. DVORAK, new phone 1151-M.

FOR SALE OR RENT—270 acre farm, 20 miles south of La Crosse. For full particulars address Wm. B. Monti, La Crosse, Wis. 2 15 11

FOR SALE—A reliable treatment for gall-stones, stones in kidneys and bladder, eczema, and bed wetting. Free sample. L. Box A, Lansing, Iowa. 3 15 21

FOR SALE—Three good sewing machines, one Singer, one W. & W. drop-head, one White Rotary drop-head. 520 Cass street, Flat 1. 3 16 22

FOR SALE—Attention! A used auto now being put in good condition at James' machine shop. Apply to the foreman, Ben Nottingham. 2 8 11

FOR SALE—Restaurant and confectionery; good location; established business. Reasons for selling. Ledman and Moler, 215 Pearl St. New phone 1358-M; old phone 3881. La Crosse, Wis. 3 16 11

FOR SALE—House and 1½ acres land. Want to sell on account of leaving city. H. Krause, Petribone Park. 3 20 26

280 ACRE FARM—West of Cashon, near Portland Center; nearly all fine ridge land; splendid soil, about 160 acres under cultivation, 40 acres more good field land can be cleared up. Good buildings, basement barn 34x66. Here is a real bargain for some one if taken before April 1; \$50 per acre. Address Box 336, Westby, Wis. 3 20 21

FOR SALE—Fox terrier puppies. Call old phone 2703 or new phone 513-R. 3 20 22

FOR SALE—My farm, 111 acres, located one mile from depot of Brownsville, Minnesota. House in brownstone, 55 acres under cultivation, rest timber and good pasture, also 80 acres Mississippi bottom land, good meadow and timber. Buildings consist of good model 10 room house, basement and cellar; steam and vacuum heating plant. Barn 24x36, hay shed, 24x50, machine shed, chicken house, hog house, buggy shed, corn crib and workshop; good well and running water, orchard and all kinds of berries. For full particulars write Valentine Fetzer, Brownsville, Minn. 3 16 22

FOR SALE CHEAP—One boiler 42 inchesx14 feet, including front grate bars, arches, mud drum, gauges, iron stack, breeching, etc. 1 battery consisting of four boilers, each 42 inchesx14 feet. Fronts, grate bars, arches, mud drums, stack, breeching, etc. Segele & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co. 3 8 11

FOR SALE—Team of horses. Inquire a 1417 South Fourth St. 3 15 11

FOR SALE—Property and eight-room house at 1347 Caledonia. Will sell at a great bargain if taken at once. Inquire 1208 Caledonia. 3 9 11

FOR SALE—Grocery stock in one of the best locations in La Crosse. Doing big business. Stock in good condition. Rent cheap. Reason for selling, have other business to care for. Inquire Temte & Syverson, 1400 Berlin. 3 1 11

FOR SALE—House and lot, 137 South Twelfth. Inquire 121 South Third. 3 16 11

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House at 1225 South Fifth. Inquire at 515 Adams. 3 18 23

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern, city heated. Gentleman preferred. Address M., care Tribune. 3 9 11

FOR RENT—A desirable small flat, Fifth and Ferry, downstairs. Hot water heat. Enquire Moore's Hand Laundry. 3 16 22

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished room, 516 Division St. 3 16 22

FOR RENT—3 modern rooms, \$13 per month, including hot water heat, gas range and bath, 403 North 11th. C. N. Hawley. 3 15 20

FOR RENT—Five room house, 220 King street, \$10 per month. 3 14 11

FOR RENT—Furnished room, at 315 South Fifth. New phone 1224-M. 3 14 20

FOR RENT—Eight room house, with electric light and bath, at 509 North Eleventh. Inquire 608 Badger. 3 19 11

FOR RENT—Six room strictly modern house, corner Sixth and Vine street. No water rent. \$20.00 per month. J. H. Lightbody. 2 23 11

FOR RENT—Small furnished flat, modern. 714 Cass. 2 24 11

FOR RENT—Pleasant room, modern. 130 North Seventh street. 2 29 11

FOR RENT—Furnished room, best location, modern conveniences. 209 South Fifth. 3 19 11

FOR RENT—Six room house, at 323 Jackson. Inquire 1130 South Fourth street. 3 20 26

MISCELLANEOUS

DRAYING of ashes and rubbish. Old phone 6654. New phone 445-C. 3 19 4 18

WANTED—By young man, board and room. Address A. B. C., care Tribune. 3 19 21

WANTED—By young man, steady position. A 1 salesman and solicitor. Capable, ambitious and sober. References given. Address Mr. D., care of Doering's hotel, or call new phone 508-A; old 2604. 3 20 22

WANTED—Dressmaking and plain sewing, by competent dressmaker. Mrs. D. W. Dean, 1412 Wood. 3 20 26

DRESSMAKING—to be taken at home, or will work out by the day. Call 1517 South Seventh St. New phone 1319-C. 3 18 23

WANTED TO BUY—Horses weighing between 1,100 and 1,200 lbs. Reliable Steam Laundry. 3 19 21

WANTED—Room and board by young lady. Address L. B. E., Tribune. 3 18 21

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

WANTED—Shirts to make to order; also plain and children's sewing. 605 King street. New phone 1265-R. 3 18 23

WANTED—Now or April 1, clean unfurnished rooms or small cottage. Address B. M., care of Tribune. 3 18 20

LESSONS in French, English, Latin. Apply, 705 So. 5th St., 2nd floor, after 5:30. New phone 1334-R. 3 15 11

PUMP REPAIRING and cement curbing. Jordan & Seeman. New phone 433-M. 3 14 20

WANTED—Horse. Fred Dittman Hardware Co. 3 11 11

PIANO TUNING—A. Ruhoff, both phones. 2 21 11

MUST BE SOLD without delay, a well paying first class grocery business in one of La Crosse's best trading centers; for sale at a very reasonable price. Just the thing for one or two good live young men. Extensive other interests demanding owner's attention. Address P. O. Box 570, La Crosse, Wis. 3 4 11

MONEY LOANED on furniture, no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 3 2 11

WANTED—Boarders with or without rooms. Board reasonable. 149 South Sixth. 3 4 11

WANTED—To buy fresh milk cows. Address DD, Tribune. 3 19 25

LISTEN—Last week I advertised piano tuning at a special price for a limited time. Now if my work in your judgment is not equal to the best you've had done, you owe me nothing. Otherwise \$2.00 till April 15. References, any one of the 33 pianos I've tuned since I started here. F. M. Rehms, new phone 435-R. 3 19 21

WANTED—All kinds of work, housecleaning and washing. Inquire 728 State. 3 19 11

WANTED—Automobiles, carriages, wagons to paint. The old reliable painter, Jeff Gibbons, at new Law Auto Garage, Fifth and State.

DR. EHLERT—Skin diseases and diseases of men. 427 Main. 2 1 11

Work Wanted.

STENOGRAPHIC work—Jennie M. Schick, McMillan building, room No. 223. New phone 620 Black. 3 9 4 8

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FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION loans on real estate. Ten dollars a month pays \$1,000.00 in 149 months; \$12 a month, in 114 months. 11 6 11

Lost

LOST—Liberal reward will be given for information leading to the recovery of my dog, black, white and tan beagle hound, John J. Mallin, 206 South Fourth street. 3 19 21

Private Detective Agency E. R. VAN DORN'S Private Detective Agency. Reliable men furnished for all kinds of detective and private police work. All business strictly confidential. Terms reasonable. New phone 1204-C.

Public Stenography

TYPEWRITING, copying, stenography, multiple letters, addressing, by experts. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth street, (opposite La Crosse club). 5 3 11

Flour and Feed (Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.) Patent, barrel, \$5.50. Straight, barrel, \$5.39. Hay and Wood Hay, wild, per ton \$12.00 to \$14.00. Hay, tame, per ton \$17.00 to \$18.00. Wood, per cord, \$5.50 to \$5.75.

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks NEW YORK, March 20.—The stock market opened strong with nearly all the leading issues showing substantial advances over yesterday's close.

11 a. m.—Pronounced strength continued throughout the first hour. Governments unchanged; other bonds firm.

11 a. m.—There was no change in conditions in the late forenoon. 2 p. m.—The strong tone was maintained during the afternoon. The stock market closed strong.

New York Money NEW YORK, March 20.—Money on call 2½ per cent. Time money 3½ per cent for six months.

Bar Silver: London 25 15-16d.; New York 58½c. Demand sterling 487.40.

Kansas City Livestock KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 20.—Cattle—Receipts 3,000; market steady to 10c higher; steers \$6.00 to \$8.25; cows and heifers \$3.00 to \$7.00; stockers and feeders \$4.25 to \$6.80; calves \$4.00 to \$8.25.

Hogs—Receipts 6,000; market 5 to 10c higher; bulk \$6.80 to \$7.10; heavy \$7.05 to \$7.15; medium \$6.90 to \$7.10; light \$6.60 to \$6.95.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; market steady to 10c lower; lambs \$5.75 to \$7.55; ewes \$3.00 to \$5.50; wethers and yearlings \$4.25 to \$5.25.

U. S. Cotton Report. WASHINGTON, March 20.—A cotton report issued by the census bureau today shows the 1911 crop to be 16,050,819 bales, as compared with 11,965,962 for 1910.

Included in the statistics for 1911 are: Linters, 546,769 bales; sea island, 119,252 bales; round, 100,439 bales.

The average gross weight of the bales is 504.8 pounds for 1911, as compared with 501.7 for 1910.

Expressed in equivalent 500 pound bales, the 1911 crop is 16,205,097, as compared with 12,005,688 for 1910.

Cotton estimated by ginner and delinters as remaining to be ginned and included in the statistics for 1911, is 239,146 bales.

Chicago Livestock. UNION STOCK YARDS, March 20.—Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; market slow, 5 to 10c lower. Mixed and butchers, \$6.90 to 7.25 good heavy, \$6.90 to \$7.25 rough heavy, \$6.90 to \$7.00; light, \$6.85 to \$7.17; pigs, \$4.90 to \$6.70.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; market steady to strong. Beefsteers, \$5.00 to \$8.75; cows and heifers, \$2.25 to \$8.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.00 to \$8.75; Texans, \$4.50 to \$5.85; calves, \$5.50 to \$8.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market 10 to 15c lower. Native, \$3.90 to \$5.85; western, \$4.40 to \$5.90; lambs, \$5.85 to \$7.70; western, \$6.10 to \$7.90.

Chicago Produce CHICAGO, March 20.—Butter—Extras 29c; firsts 28c; dairy extras 27c; firsts 25c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 20c; firsts 19c. Cheese—Twins 18 to 18½c; Young Americas 18½ to 19c.

Potatoes—\$1.10 to \$1.15. Live Poultry—Fowls 15 to 16c; spring chicks 15½ to 16c; ducks 15 to 16c; geese 10 to 11c; turkeys 14 to 14½c.

Barley and Flax Barley, 70 to \$1.26. Rye, 88 to 88 1-2c. Flax, \$2.05. Duluth flax, \$2.07. Chicago barley 75 to \$1.36.

Chicago Cash Grain CHICAGO, March 20.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.01 3-4 to \$1.02 1-4; No. 3 red \$1.00 to \$1.02 1-4; No. 2 hard \$1.01 1-2 to \$1.05; No. 3 hard \$1.00 to \$1.03; No. 3 spring \$1.03 to \$1.08.

Corn—No. 3, 66 1-2 to 67c; No. 3 white 68 to 68 1-2c; No. 3 yellow 67 1-4 to 68c; No. 4, 64 1-2 to 65 1-2c; No. 4 white 66 to 67c; No. 4 yellow 65 to 66 1-4c.

Oats—No. 3 white 52 3-4 to 53c; No. 4 white 50 to 53c; standard 53 3-4 to 54c.

Chicago Grain Letter CHICAGO, March 20.—There was an early break in the wheat market today on cables from Liverpool quoting futures at slightly lower prices than yesterday. The market recovered however, on reports of considerably lighter receipts of grain in northwestern markets.

The corn trade was firm after an early dip which brought out good support. The strength here was due entirely to the forecast for con-

tinued cold weather for states east of the Rocky mountains.

Oats prices were firm around yesterday's quotations. The cash demand was heavier and cold weather, which it is now feared will delay spring planting was used as a bull argument.

The provision trade was strong and shortly after the opening there was a rush of the bears to cover. Lighter receipts of hogs are given as the cause.

WHEAT. Open. High. Low. Close. May ... 101½ 102½ 101½ 101½ July ... 98½ 98½ 98 98½

CORN. May ... 71½ 71½ 71 71½ July ... 71½ 72 71½ 72

OATS. May ... 53½ 50½ 53 53½ July ... 49½ 50 49½ 49½

PORK. May ... 16.37 16.50 16.37 16.50 July ... 16.70 16.85 16.70 16.85

LARD. May ... 9.57 9.60 9.57 9.60 July ... 9.77 9.80 9.75 9.80

RISES. May ... 9.25 9.30 9.22 9.30 July ... 9.32 9.42 9.30 9.42

Fruit (Quoted by John C. Burns.) Apples, Colo. Gano, per box, \$1.75. Grape fruit, 54-64, \$6.00.

Grapes, Almeria, per bbl. \$4.50-5.00. Oranges, Cal., 150-175-200-216, \$3.00.

Oranges, mountaineer brand, \$2.65. Lemons, 300-360 box, \$4.25 to \$4.75.

Bananas, bunch, \$1.25 to \$1.75. Walnuts, dates, box, \$1.20 to \$1.75.

Apples, Ben Davis, bl., \$3.75. Persian dates, per pound, \$3.75.

California celery, .75 to 90c. Oysters, standards, gal., \$1.25.

Oysters, select, gal., \$1.40. Onions, sets, white, per bu., \$3.25.

Onions, sets, yellow, per bu., \$3.00. Onions, sets, red, per bu., \$1.75.

Livestock (By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.) Hogs, \$5.60 to \$6.00.

Cows, \$2.00 to \$3.50. Heifers, \$2.50 to \$4.00.

Lambs, \$4.00 to \$5.00. Sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Announcement!

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**Our Annual Spring and
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High Class Millinery
Thursday, Friday and Sat.,
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Special display of beautiful French Pattern Hats for
dress and street wear, smart exclusive tailored models,
as well as original creations from our own work room.

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tional acts.
Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium
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Evening

MARCH 21 AND 22

Admission 25c. Reserved seats
35c and 50c. (In sale Tuesday
morning.)

GOPHER DEMOCRATS TO MEET IN DULUTH

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 20.—
The state democratic convention to
elect delegates to the national con-
vention will be held in Duluth on
Thursday, June 6.

The invitation was presented by
Andrew Nelson of Duluth, demo-
cratic candidate for congress. He
started a boom for Woodrow Wil-
son and gave the invitation to con-
vene in Duluth, which was imme-
diately accepted.

The only other date, May 23,
was voted down.

APPOINT PROBE BOARD

FIFTEEN MEMBERS OF LOWER
HOUSE CHOSEN TO INVESTI-
GATE BRIBERY CHARGE
IN NEW MEXICO

SANTA FE, N. M., March 20.—
Fifteen members of the lower house
were appointed by that body
to investigate the charges of bri-
bery made against Representatives
Trutvillo, Lucero, Montoya and Cor-
dova, arrested at the palace hotel
Monday night, with \$500 in the pos-
session of each man. Four members
were suspended pending the inquiry
and Judge E. R. Wright was ap-
pointed by the house counsel for the
accused men.

During the debate in the house
over the matter, a communication
from the accused men was read, as-
serting that force had been used to
obtain from them resignations which
had been demanded by Chairman
Jaramillo of the republican state
central committee. These communi-
cations precipitated a heated row on
the floor between the various fac-
tions of the republican party. A res-
olution to order the sergeant at arms
of the house to take the accused men
into custody was unanimously adopt-
ed and speaker R. B. Baca ordered
the official to take that action im-
mediately. Meanwhile District At-
torney Reid is gathering information
preparatory to filing formal charges
against the four representatives.

Some women are hard to please.
They hardly get a wedding gown be-
fore they begin to look up material
for a divorce suit.

FEAR BIG COAL STRIKE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PREPARES TO
LAY IN GREAT SUPPLY OF
FUEL FOR USE IN THE
NAVY

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Anti-
cipating a coal strike in the near fu-
ture, the navy department is prepar-
ing to lay in a great supply of fuel
to prevent any possibility of tying up
war vessels. It was admitted yester-
day afternoon that the department
has been working through agents
making an inventory of the navy's
present coal reserve and ascertain-
ing exactly how much a shortage of
output in connection with a strike
would hamper Uncle Sam.

The disabling of the British navy
by the coal strike in England has
already made officials here careful,
especially in view of the gravity of
the Mexican situation and the atti-
tude of Japan and Russia in the far
east.

TALKED IN HIS SLEEP
DETROIT, Mich., March 20.—"If
you talk in your sleep don't mention
my name."

Charles Wagner failed to observe
the warning in the above named
popular song and his wife Rose De-
lia, was given a divorce and \$50 a
month alimony. "Pearl, Oh Pearl,"
Wagner shouted in his sleep, accord-
ing to the testimony of Mrs. Wag-
ner and Wagner admitted he knew
a girl by the name of Pearl.

Better a strong prejudice than a
weak conviction.

PRELATE AGAINST MOTHERS' MEET

Archbishop Glennon De-
nounces Phase of Work
Prosecuted by Nation-
al Organization

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 20.—
Archbishop John J. Glennon, in de-
clining to give the National Mothers'
congress his "written" approval
in an editorial in the current issue
of a local Catholic publication,
bitterly denouncing a phase of the
work, have incensed leaders of the
congress which opens a five day con-
vention here today.

Archbishop Glennon declared yester-
day that he had refused to deliver
an invocation before the conven-
tion.

"I do not give the organization
my approval unless it is in writing,"
the archbishop added. "And I gave
the Mothers' Congress no such ap-
proval. Catholicism approves of cer-
tain phases of their work, such as
the sacredness of the home and bonds
of matrimony."

Rev. D. S. Phelan, editor of the
Catholic publication, in an editorial
takes bitter exception to the organi-
zation's principle that parents should
teach sex secrets to the children. "A
mother who would talk to her child
on such things is a degenerate," says
Father Phelan. "The word 'sex'
should never be heard in the home.
There are certain things a child
should not be taught, least of all by
his father or mother."

Archbishop Glennon declared to-
day that he did not understand how
his name had been used as an asso-
ciate member of the congress. Mrs.
Frank DeGarmo, Missouri organizer
of the congress, declared the arch-
bishop gave the congress his approval
and paid dues as an associate member.

M'GOVERN PREDICTS A SHORT SESSION

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 20.—
"I think it will be a short session,"
said Gov. Francis E. McGovern on
Tuesday, referring to the special ses-
sion for which he has just issued a
call.

"The three important things in the
call," said the governor, "are relief
for Black River Falls, water power
regulation and amendments to the
election laws. The other matters in
the call are of minor importance."

"My attention was called to the
lack of uniformity in the primary
election law and it was to permit of
amendments to be made to insure uniformity
that it was included. I do not con-
sider when the call was prepared."

In reply to a suggestion that he
had opened a wide gate in including
amendments to the fish and game
law, Gov. McGovern said:

"I do not think so. There is some
conflict of opinion regarding the au-
thority of the game warden for tak-
ing out rough fish from inland wa-
ters and it is desired this should be
corrected. I do not think the amend-
ments will go farther than that."

"As to the matter of the Lloyds,
that is something of which I know
nothing. It was included at the re-
quest of Mr. Ekern, the insurance
commissioner, who, I understand
thinks there should be some protec-
tion against these companies. As I
said the three things first of impor-
tance are the Black River Falls mat-
ter, the water power regulation and
amendments to the election laws. All
the rest can be gotten over quickly."

STUDENTS WILL HOLD PRIMARIES

Politics Is All-important
Topic at High School
Just Before the
Election

THE STUMP SPEAKERS RAVE

Whirlwind Campaign to Be
Closed Thursday; Can-
didates and Support-
ers Busy

A strong political atmosphere has
been permeating the spacious rooms
before classes are called and be-
tween classes at the high school,
and at recess time one may see
a bunch of students discussing the
merits and demerits of all presi-
dential candidates.

The occasion for all this excite-
ment is the coming primary election
the civics classes will hold on Thurs-
day and Friday of this week. These
classes have appointed different
members of the class to act as presi-
dential nominees having Art Hayes
act as Wilson, Irma McGrath as La
Follette and others to take the place
of each of the other candidates.
These candidates and their bench-
men are going all over the building
campaigning for the man they repre-
sent. One may see stump speakers
standing on seats frantically waving
their arms and emitting volumes of
information regarding their favorite
candidate. In this way much enthu-
siasm is being aroused for the com-
ing election. The students become
interested and look up the records of
these men and so are able to enter
into the discussions with some degree
of intelligence.

The campaign will be wound up
with a whirlwind of speeches in the
general assembly on Thursday morn-
ing. At this time each so-called can-
didate will deliver his master speech
and a fiery time is looked forward to.
Mr. McCormick's office will be fixed
up into a voting booth which will
be open all day Thursday and Fri-
day. This booth will be conducted
just the same as the real voting
booths are, having clerks and in-
spectors. The ballots will be counted
on Saturday and the result will be
looked forward to with much inter-
est by the students for the candidate
of each party is receiving his share
of the discussions.

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rose Dell by Spross.
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